

PLANES DROP HAY TO HERDS

Nationalists In China Retreat Across Yangtze

Indications Multiply That Surrender Talks With Communists Are Imminent

REDS ARE NEARING NANKING NOW

(BULLETIN)

NANKING, Jan. 25.—(INS) The entire Chinese government, except the cabinet, was reported preparing tonight to abandon Nanking hastily in the face of a communist drive to the Yangtze's north bank, within artillery range of the capital.

NANKING, Jan. 25.—(INS) All remaining Nationalist forces north of the Yangtze are retreating to and across China's mightiest river today amid multiplying indications that surrender talks with the Communists are imminent.

(A Reuters dispatch from Shanghai quoted the north Shensi Communist radio as declaring willingness to negotiate peace terms with the Nationalists and suggesting that such talks be held in Peiping.)

(Reuters also reported that the legislative Yuan at an informal session tentatively decided to evacuate Nanking Saturday.)

Communist Troops Move In

Advance patrols of 100,000 Communist troops moved to the Yangtze's north bank, within shelling range of Nanking on the river's south shore. Other Yangtze points eastward toward Shanghai also were reached or approached by the Red units.

Nanking military sources disclosed that government troops are abandoning their remaining positions north of the Yangtze in a vast withdrawal to the south of the stream through Pukow and other river ports.

Nationalist forces which had given up the garrisons of Kuachou and Shiheryu, 40 miles northeast of Nanking, reached and crossed the Yangtze this morning.

Take Up New Positions

These units took up new positions at Chengkang, 40 miles due east of the tense national capital.

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Pa Newc Observes

Signs of spring: A citizen of East Washington street rolling his lawn. And in January.

Clocks about the downtown area which point out the time should be tuned up a bit by the merchants who display them. Time shown on the various timepieces varies from two to ten minutes.

Mild weather of the winter so far has resulted in considerable saving to the organizations that are required to keep streets and highways clear of snow and in passable condition.

January 31 marks two deadlines for motorists. On February 1 new driver's licenses are required by all auto operators in Pennsylvania, and on the same date all autos must carry the new period inspection stickers.

Local folks can congratulate themselves that the precipitation which has occurred here over the past few days came down in rain instead of snow. They would still be digging out. It would amount in all to about a foot.

Dear Pa News: This letter is to tell you about a certain pet "Timmy my Boy" a squirrel. Little George Hammond aged 4½ years of 310 Hillcrest avenue, whose grandfather is Frank Smith, night watchman at Cascade Park, has a feeding station outside the dining room window made by Mr. Smith. Not (Continued on Page Two)

Daily Weather Report

United States weather statistics for the 24-hour period ending at 9 a. m. today follow:

Maximum temperature, 57.
Minimum temperature, 37.
Precipitation, .22 inches.
River stage, 10.3 feet.

Statistics for the same date a year ago follow:

Maximum temperature, 11.
Minimum temperature, 10 below zero.

Precipitation, .45 inches, snow.

Defense Makes Claim 'Axis Sally' Was Victim Of "Hypnotic" Official

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—(INS) The defense claimed today that "Axis Sally," on trial for war-time treason, was the victim of an "hypnotic" German official.

James J. Laughlin, counsel for Mildred E. Gillars, made this charge in his opening address to the jury.

This came after Prosecutor John M. Kelley, Jr., told the mixed white and negro jury that "Axis Sally" accepted Nazi money to broadcast "sugar-coated propaganda" on the German radio.

Earlier, one of the jurors selected yesterday was excused because she said she was opposed to capital punishment. Miss Gillars faces a possible death sentence if found guilty of the treason charge.

Outlines Career

In his opening statement, Kelley outlined the defendants career (Continued on Page Two)

President Confers On Big Issues With Congress Leaders

Government Reorganization, Taft-Hartley Repeal, Among Measures Discussed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—(INS) Congressional leaders conferred with President Truman today on government reorganization procedure, Taft-Hartley repeal, and other legislative problems.

House Speaker Rayburn (D) Tex., said it was agreed that the following agencies would be exempt from the reorganization process:

Interstate Commerce Commission, Securities and Exchange Commission, Federal Reserve System, and Federal Trade Commission.

Rayburn told reporters that Mr. Truman and the Democratic leaders will leave to the proper committees the question of whether new labor legislation should be in "one or two packages or half a dozen."

Favors "One-Package" Repeal

However, the speaker declared that he personally favors "one-package" repeal of the Taft-Hartley act and substitution of a new labor law.

The conference was the first the president has held with the congressional "big four" since he took the oath of office for his new term.

Besides Rayburn, leaders present at the White House meeting were Vice President Barkley, Senator Majority Leader Lucas (D) Ill., and House Majority Leader McCormack (D) Mass.

It was pointed out that the decision to exempt certain agencies from reorganization plans differs from the president's request to congress for sweeping authority to reshuffle and consolidate government decisions.

Mr. Truman, in asking for the exemption of several agencies, as was provided for under the old law in effect until last spring, would greatly weaken the whole reorganization effort.

Rayburn said, however, that he understood Mr. Truman to agree with arguments of the leaders that agencies which clearly were "arms of congress" should not fall within the executive's reorganization powers.

The speaker added that the congressional group discussed with Mr. Truman a wide range of legislative matters and foreign affairs, but emphasized the reorganization plan, the Taft-Hartley act, and the question of a legislative budget.

Yugoslav Copper Shipment Arriving

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—(INS) Large shipment of Yugoslav copper was cited today as representing the first tangible results of the recently announced policy of Premier Marshal Tito aimed at trading with the west.

S. Ullman, president of the metal importing firm of Phillips Brothers of New York, to whom the copper is consigned, said the shipment would be about 3,000 tons. It is expected to arrive tomorrow.

He refused to divulge the price paid, but industry observers pointed out that the situation in the copper market today is so tight that some consumers are paying a two cents a pound premium for resale copper.

United States copper producers, moreover, are reported to be rationing their supplies, although maintaining their price at 23 1-2 cents a pound.



—Acme Telephoto

Mildred E. Gillars, the Nazi radio's "Axis Sally", arrives via police van at District Court in Washington Monday where she went on trial for treason. The 48-year-old defendant, a native of Portland, Me., was indicted by a federal grand jury Sept. 10, and faces penalties ranging from five years to death. She has been held without bail in the district jail.

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Green Expects A. F. Of L. To Get Members Boost

AKRON, O., Jan. 25.—(INS) William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, is confident that the eight million-member AFL will be increased to 10 million in the not-too-distant future.

Green, speaking in Akron at the dedication of the new International Chemical Workers union headquarters building, said that "the eight million will be increased to 10 million 'ere long, with the return of some large organizations."

He did not specify, however, which groups he expected to return to the AFL, but earlier he mentioned the United Mine Workers and the International Association of Machinists.

The announcement said that the illness is taking "its ordinary course." Elizabeth had never had the disease. She had been feeling ill for the past few days. The diagnosis of measles was made only today.

SENATE CHAPLAIN DIES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—(INS) The Rev. Peter Marshall, D.D., chaplain of the United States Senate, died suddenly today at George Washington university hospital.

The noted clergyman, aged 46

presumably stricken with a heart attack, was taken to the hospital at 6:30 a. m. (EST) and died at 8 a. m.

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Fifth Victim Of Blaze Succumbs

WINDBER, Pa., Jan. 25.—(INS) A fire that destroyed the home of a coal miner at Cairnbrook last Tuesday today claimed its fifth victim.

Gertrude Snyder, 12, died last night in the Windber hospital of Scotland Yard's celebrated fraud squad is at work today on the problem that has baffled English pedestrains—how did the tens of thousands of shiny, new U. S. cars that crowd England's roads get into the ditches?

Only two members of the family escaped death in the fire that was believed to have started in the kitchen of the small three-room home.

Lawrence Snyder, 40, the father, was reported in a "fair" condition in the Windber hospital from burns suffered when he rescued his 18-month-old son. The baby was uninjured.

DEATH RECORD

Tuesday, January 25, 1949

Mrs. Harry L. Rudolph, 75, Vo-

Jury Acquits Man In Death Of Wife

SMETHPORT, Pa., Jan. 25.—(INS) Alvin Smiley, 26, of nearby Kane, was acquitted today of slaying his pregnant wife Thelma, last July 14.

The jury announced the verdict at 12:25 this morning after 48 minutes of deliberation. The prosecution had charged Smiley shot his wife with a .22 caliber rifle as she was feeding their one-year-old baby in their parked car.

The topic discussed was "What the Farmer Is Thinking About".

The speakers included R. P. Peebles of Scott Township; Wayne M. Walker of Little Beaver township; Charles B. Patton of Hickory township; N. E. Sampson of Wilmington township, and W. Sharp Fullerton of North Beaver township.

Mr. Walker, prominent young

Male Chorus Sings

A group of pleasing musical numbers was rendered by the barber shop quartet, or rather it might be called, chorus, directed by Dave "Dy" Jones.

Mr. Peebles, the first speaker, felt that the farmer is facing a period of falling prices, in which he will be squeezed between high costs and low selling prices, and will have to work out the solution to this problem himself.

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Princess Elizabeth Is Ill With Measles

LONDON, Jan. 25.—(INS) An official Buckingham palace announcement said today that Princess Elizabeth is suffering from the measles.

The 22-year-old princess, now at the royal estate at Sandringham, is being kept away from her infant son, Prince Charles.

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Autoists To Get No Extensions

HARRISBURG, Jan. 25.—(INS) Acting Revenue Secretary Otto F. Messner warned automobile owners today there will be no extension of the automobile inspection period which closes January 31.

Messner also told drivers there will be no extension for renewal of operators' licenses which also expire the same date.

Messner said 2,800,000 operators' licenses for 1949 had been mailed as of January 24. He estimated that more than 3,100,000 drivers will apply for renewal of their permits by the dead-line.

He said that applications for 1949 license plates will be mailed between February 4 and 10.

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 25.—(INS) Air freight at the Allegheny county airport was tied up today as AFL teamsters refused to cross picket lines set up by striking drivers of the Airlines Transportation Co.

An estimated 1,000 tons of freight received mostly on the Capital Airlines, was reported waiting for consignees to arrange for removal.

Goods include deliveries for department stores and other commercial firms.

Chief support to the picket lines of AFL taxi cab drivers, local 128, is reported coming from AFL general teamsters, local 249.

The policy planning committee of AFL teamsters Joint Council No. 40 voted sympathy to the strikers at a meeting Monday. The airport drivers have been on strike for two weeks. They want a reduction in the work week and a \$7.50 weekly pay increase.

To Make Inquiry

Customs officials, the Board of Trade, the Treasury and the Society of Motor Car Manufacturers and Traders are determined to find out how the cars got into British hands without import-export fraud charges.

But the government says that it issued licenses for the legal import-export of only 92 U. S. autos in 1948.

Irritate Motorists

The U. S. cars, which have a left-hand drive instead of the British right-hand, irritate motorists as well as pedestrians. Most irritated of all is the pedestrian-who-would-be-a-motorist and has waited impatiently for two years on a

dealer's list for a chance at a domestic car.

The gleaming American models, longer, heavier and more strongly powered than the British purr through London's streets, seem to crowd England's roads get into the ditches?

There are those who say that American tourists who brought their automobiles with them for vacation riding went home without them, but many, many pounds the richer.

By pledging not to dispose of the vehicle in Britain tourists find the customary import duty waived.

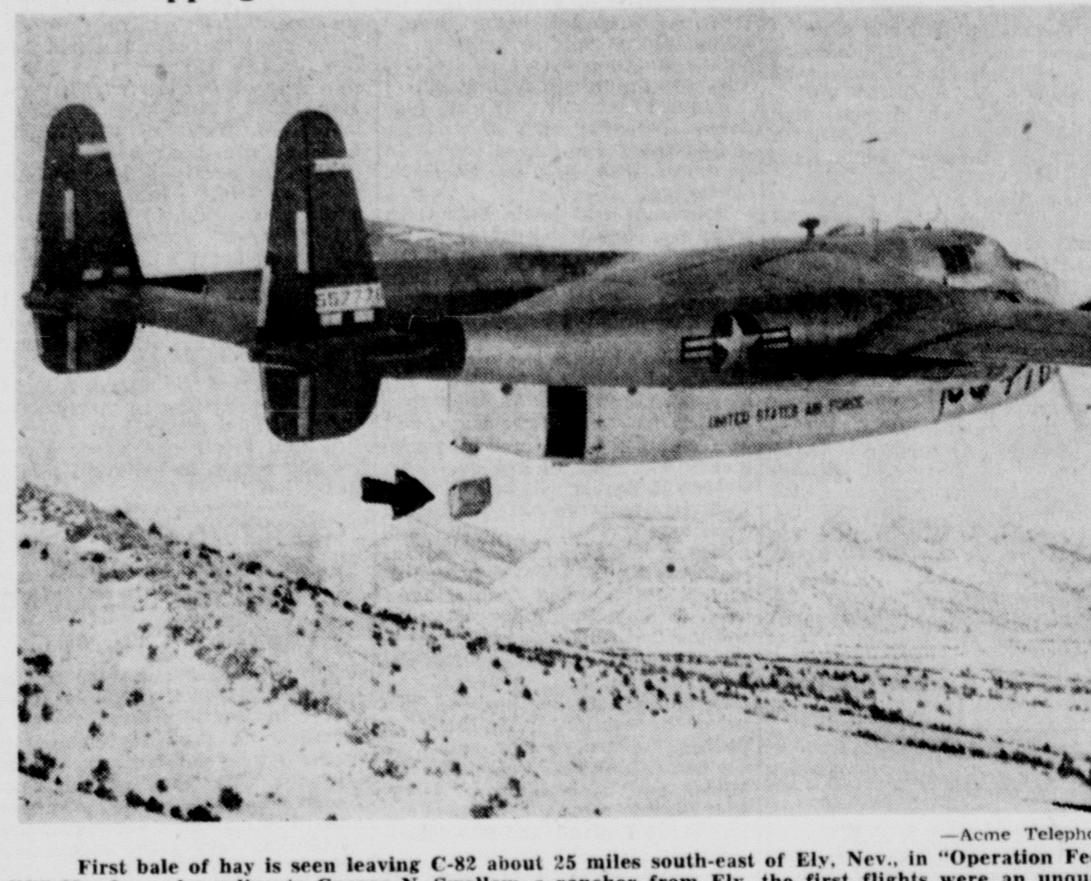
Some of the cars find their way into a black market and bring as much as \$15,000 to \$20,000.

MAN HURTS THUMB

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 25.—(INS) Seymour Levin, 17-year-old wealthy merchant's son, was ordered held without bail for the grand jury today at a coroner's inquest into the knife-and-scissors slaying of Ellis Simons, 12.

The inquest lasted only 35 minutes.

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Girls—Second Floor

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A Group valued to \$99.00	\$72.00
A Group valued to \$125.00	\$82.00

Untrimmed Coats:—

A Group valued to \$40.00	\$26.00
A Group valued to \$40.00	\$33.00
A Group valued to \$49.75	\$40.00

Ready-To-Wear—Second Floor



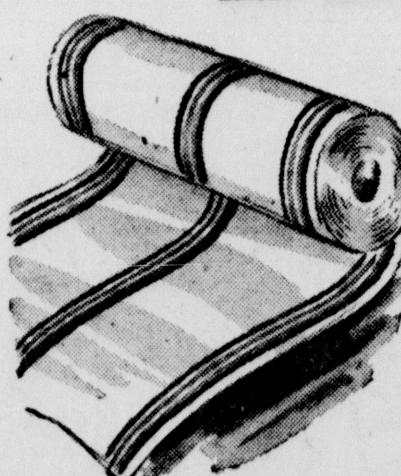
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Linens—Main Floor



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Reception Aides
Aides at the reception in the Trinity Church Guild Hall, which followed the wedding of Miss Audrey Casburn to Vernon R. Evans, Jr., Saturday evening, January 22, at the Trinity Episcopal church were: Mrs. David N. Bolland, and Mrs. Stephan O. Lewis, who pour at the beautifully appointed table and Mrs. Leroy Martin, Mrs. Irvine Balph, Mrs. J. J. Fishburn, Miss Jeanne Lewis and Miss Marjorie Lostetter.

Executive Board Meeting
Members of the Executive Board of the Degree of Honor will meet Thursday, January 27, instead of Wednesday as previously scheduled. The meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Ola Gilkey, 450 County Line street.

G.K.W. Club

Members of the G.K.W. club will be entertained in the home of Mrs. P. Nelson, of Crawford avenue, Wednesday, January 26.

Reel-Coryea Wedding

In the office of Margaret Orres, alderman of the Sixth Ward, January 22 at high noon, Mrs. Stella S. Reel of R. D. 9 was united in marriage to Frank W. Coryea of 9 Lowery street. Alderman Orres performed the ceremony.

Witnesses were C. W. Smith and William Orres. Mr. Coryea is employed at the Shenango Pottery. The couple will make their home at 9 Lowery street.

Daughters Of Union Vets

Daughters of Union Veterans will hold their regular meeting in Malta Hall this evening at 8 o'clock, with the president, Mrs. Rebekah McKissick, in charge.

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SOCIETY & CLUBS

STUDENT SPEAKER AT COUNTY ART GROUP

Lawrence County Art Association met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Howard Boalick, 305 Hillcrest avenue. Mrs. Dale Marburger and Mrs. William Wilson served as co-hostesses. The theme selected for the evening was China.

After a brief historical resume of the history of art, he spoke on art as it has developed in some places during the first half century. To illustrate, he showed examples of ceramic objects, of tin work, enamel on copper, paintings and abstract art. At the close of his talk he answered questions.

Members voted to comply with a request to make souvenir favors for the national W.C.T.U. Convention to take place in Philadelphia next fall. Mrs. Stella Lutton, Miss Ruth Gilchrist, Mrs. David W. Nesbit, Jr., and Miss Virginia Foulke were named as the committee.

Miss Anna McClure presided. It was also voted to donate a good reproduction of a modern painting to the public library, the donation to be in keeping with the association's aim of making Lawrence County art conscious.

Mrs. Emerson Powell and Mrs. Clare Moore were special guests.

Reservations were in charge of Miss Martha Hanna.

The next meeting will be February 28, when Mrs. Howard Lightner is program chairman. The meeting place to be announced.

READING CIRCLE '91 DISCUSS 'INDIA'

Dr. Dale Coulter Caldwell was hostess to members of Reading Circle '91 at their regular meeting held Monday afternoon in the Y. W. C. A.

Roll call was answered by giving the name of a prominent person of India.

Mrs. J. T. Morgan read a paper on "The Country of India", after which an interesting article on "Nehru", the prime minister of India, was reviewed by Dr. Caldwell and Mrs. W. H. Shipley. India in pictures was presented by Mrs. Roy Long, followed by a general discussion on the "people of India".

The next meeting of the group will be February 7 at the Y. W. C. A.

Wednesday

League of Women Voters, Y. W. C. A., 2 p.m. Harlansburg Garden, Mrs. Vera Bruce, hostess

S.O.S. Mrs. Leroy Stafford, Fairgreen avenue

Ritz, Mrs. James Bartlett, Robinson street

L.O.Q., Mrs. Angeline Frasso, Agnew street

Victory, Mrs. Sam Cox, Cedar street

Eight Spots, Mrs. Richard Cowden, South Mercer street

Nomad, Mrs. Al Morella, Lutton street

Mac-Jac, Mrs. William James, hostess

Silver Needle, Mrs. Linnie Mengiello, Britton avenue

C.B., Mrs. Isaac Fletcher, Lathrop street

Q-Jeans, Mrs. Anthony Latore, South Mercer street

Heureux Neuf, Mrs. Paul Lowers, 104 South Scott street

W.N.O., Mrs. James W. Cook, 1024 Hazen street

Ace High, Elks Home

Semper Fidelis, Mrs. Elizabeth Sacco, Euclid avenue.

True Followers Class

True Followers Class of the Calvary Gospel Tabernacle, met on January 21, at the home of Marjorie Banks, 926 Temple avenue with Nancy Jo Reynolds as co-hostess. Games and contests were featured, with prizes awarded to Kathleen McConnell and Patty Geddis.

Lunch was served by the hostesses, aided by Mrs. Harold Banks and Mrs. George Reynolds. The February meeting will be on February 18 at the home of the teacher, Miss Thelma Gordon, 112 Milton street. Co-hostess will be Rose Ann DeLancey.

Aristonian Class

Aristonian Bible Class of Calvary Gospel Tabernacle, met at the home of A. H. Robb, Franklin avenue, Thursday evening, with J. W. Miller as co-host. S. L. Kerr, president, was in charge. J. W. Miller led in a hymn sing which was followed by the serving of a delicious lunch by Mrs. A. H. Robb aided by Mrs. J. W. Miller.

In February, the class will meet with Joseph Bailey, Ryer avenue.

Baird Society

Members of the Baird Missionary society of the Highland U. P. church will hold their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, in the church.

The program will feature Mrs. Frank Fehl, who will talk on "Work of the United Presbyterian Mission."

Round-Up Club

Thursday evening the Round-Up club members will have their regular meeting in the South Mill street club rooms.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Clotilda Ross, Mrs. Joseph Tedesco, Mrs. Paul Lombardo, Mrs. Augustine Roselli and Mrs. Anthony Scopio.

C.D. OF A. ENJOYS VALENTINE PARTY

A Valentine party was enjoyed by a large group of C. D. of A. members of Court Teresa Irene No. 231, Monday evening, in the basement of St. Mary's church.

During the evening tables of bridge and 500 were in play with high score prizes for bridge going to Mrs. Teresa Lowers and Mrs. Rose Cypher. The 500 prizes were captured by Mrs. Agnes Mescal and Mrs. Lena Frediani.

Contests were won by Mrs. Genieve Sarbo, Mrs. Nancy Tranquillo, Mrs. Evelyn Woods, Mrs. Mary Geddis and Mrs. Rose Mullen. Special prizes were won by Mrs. James Lombardo, Regina Norris, Cecilia Flynn, Mrs. Frank Bordonaro and Mrs. Margaret Micaletti. The door prize went to Palma Julian.

Grand regent Mrs. Jessie Stenger spoke briefly on the diocesan conference of the C. D. of A. grand regents and district deputies which she attended at the Roosevelt hotel, Pittsburgh, January 15-16.

The supreme vice and state regent, Miss Frances Maher presided. Rev. Fr. William Ryan, president of Seton Hill college, Greensburg, spoke on "Why All Catholic Women Should Belong to the C. D. of A." Rev. Charles Patterson, of Pittsburgh spoke on "C. D. of A. and Charity."

At the close of play, a dainty lunch was served on long tables nicely arranged in the Valentine motif, with tall red candles flanking the tables.

The committee were in complete charge and successfully handled all arrangements: Mrs. Frances Colao, Mrs. Grace Meyers, Mrs. Mary Dean, Mrs. Harriet Hutton, Mrs. A. G. Skundor, Mrs. Mildred Nelson, Miss Margaret Bordonaro and Ann Gallagher.

February 14, is the next meeting.

CURRENT EVENTS ENJOYS DISCUSSION

Mrs. Charles W. Wettich, of 311 East Edison avenue, entertained members of the Current Events Class, in her home, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Wettich, the president, presided at the business meeting and appointed Mrs. John R. Atkinson and Mrs. C. P. Cloak to serve as critics.

Current topics of the day were then the subjects for discussion.

The next meeting of the group will be February 14, in the home of Mrs. John R. Atkinson, of 215 Englewood avenue, at 2:30.

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Mrs. J. T. Morgan read a paper on "The Country of India", after which an interesting article on "Nehru", the prime minister of India, was reviewed by Dr. Caldwell and Mrs. W. H. Shipley.

The three hostesses will act as bridesmaids in the forthcoming wedding.

The afternoon was spent in an informal social time. Out of town guests were Mrs. L. Komisin of Sharon and the Misses Jennie and Dorothy Kopka, of Beaver Falls.

Dainty refreshments were served in the late afternoon, after which the honoree was recipient of many lovely household articles.

Miss Drapko, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Drapko, of Sharp street, will become the bride of Edmund J. Kopka, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Kopka, of R. D. 1, Beaver Falls, Pa., at an open church wedding in the Holy Trinity Polish National church at 9:30, Saturday morning, February 12.

The evening was spent in an informal social time, with Mr. Filiboy showing several reels of motion pictures of family gatherings, social events and outings that he has filmed.

True Followers Class

Congregation of the Wesley Methodist church, West Washington street, have planned a reception for the pastor, Rev. and Mrs. Everett Spring to take place at the church on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Rev. James A. Gaiser, pastor of First Methodist church will be the speaker.

Pledge to Sorority

Janet Everett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Everett, Fairfield avenue, has pledged the Alpha Eta chapter of Gamma Phi Beta, national sorority at Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, O.

Theta Nu Club

Members of the Theta Nu club will meet in the home of Mrs. Charles Morgan, of 318 Cunningham avenue Friday evening instead of Thursday evening, as previously planned.

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BETTY KWIAT IS FETED AT SHOWER

Mrs. Ernest Kwiat, of 110 Charter street, entertained a group of 35 guests in her home on a recent evening in honor of her sister-in-law, Miss Betty Kwiat, bride-elect of St. Mary's church.

The evening was spent in an informal social time and music was enjoyed throughout the evening. The honoree was presented with an array of lovely gifts of a miscellaneous nature for use in her future home.

A delicious dinner was served buffet style at a prettily appointed table. The room was also prettily decorated in a color scheme of yellow green and white. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Pearl Falls and Mrs. Mildred Kaczenski. While the guests were eating they were entertained by songs sung by Robert Kwiat, nephew of the bride-elect.

Mrs. Kwiat, daughter of Mrs. Frank Kwiat, of 105 Vine street, will become the bride of Stephan L. Polley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hasson L. Polley, of 1607 Delaware avenue, at an open church wedding Friday, January 28, at 7:30 o'clock in the First U. P. church, corner of Cleon-Moore boulevard and Albert street.

GLADYS GRITTIE FETED AT SHOWER

Mrs. Gladys Grittie, bride-elect of February, was the guest of honor at a lovely personal shower held recently in a local tea room, hostesses being Pauline Grittie and Betty Clymer.

Attending were Gladys' co-workers of the United Engineering company and friends.

Cards and contests were featured during the evening, with lovely prizes being awarded to the winners.

A dainty lunch was served at the close of play, buffet style with the white wedding motif predominating.

Miss Grittie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Grittie, of Grandview avenue, will become the bride of Fred Jenkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Jenkins, of 837 Lathrop street.

The open church ceremony will be performed in the first Methodist church on Thursday evening, February 10, at 7:30 o'clock.

Butler Girls Club

Mrs. Alan Cartwright, of Williamson avenue, entertained members of the Butler Girls club in her home on a recent evening.

Cards were played and an informal social time was spent. Delicious refreshments were served at a late hour to the guests, seated at a table prettily appointed in the mood of Valentine's Day. Mrs. Ed Book assisted the hostess in serving.

Mrs. Roy Ringer, of South Ray street, will entertain the club February 18.

Pandoras Club

Pandoras club will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the South Mill street club rooms, hostesses: Mrs. Floyd Champ and Mrs. Sam Crisci.

Semper Fidelis Club

Mrs. Elizabeth Sacco, of Euclid avenue will entertain the Semper Fidelis club, Thursday evening.

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The DIAMOND STORE of New Castle

GERSON'S . . .
ADVANCE SPRING SALE
200 PA

'Axis Sally' Was Highly Paid For German Services

Nazi Propagandist Testifies At Trial About Her Wartime Broadcasts

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—(INS)—A Nazi propagandist testified today that American-born "Axis Sally" was the second highest paid employee of the German foreign radio service when she made her wartime broadcasts for the Reich.

This testimony came from Adelbert Houben, who was "Sally's" superior in the German radio setup. Houben was the first government witness in the treason trial of "Axis Sally"—Mildred E. Gillars in real life.

Houben told the federal court jury that as a "paid, free lance employee," Miss Gillars averaged between 2,000 and 3,000 marks a month while she was making her "Home Sweet Home," "Midge at the Mike," and other broadcasts.

He said the only overseas service employer earning more than Miss Gillars was the "director general" whom he identified as a man named Winklekemper, who received "more than 3,000 marks" a month.

NAACP Installs Officers Sunday

John B. Campbell Is Inducted As President Of Local Branch

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Rev. George L. Smith inducted the new officers, instructing each in the importance and duties of his office.

The new president, John B. Campbell, responded with a timely address and pledged his every effort to the success of the year's program, and invited the membership to offer any suggestions which would be for the betterment of the group.

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After the program, tea was served by the committee, with Mrs. George and Mrs. Mattie Webber pouring.

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NATIONALISTS IN CHINA RETREAT ACROSS YANGTZE

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They faced Communist troops which had taken Yangtze from the Nationalists yesterday and moved seven miles farther south to the Yangtze's left bank.

A Red crossing of the broad river at Chengkang was expected to be attempted soon.

The Nationalist navy, meantime, patrolled the lower Yangtze between Nanking and the Shanghai area with 68 naval craft, supplementing ground defenses newly set up along the south side of the river.

Reliable sources estimated the Nationalist garrison troops in the Nanking area to total 190,000, with another 200,000 stationed in the Shanghai region.

Li Tsung-Jen Will Not Fle

Pukow, just across the Yangtze from Nanking, was being evacuated following the Nationalist abandonment yesterday of Puchen, five miles to the north. There were no reports as yet that the Communists had moved in to occupy Puchen.

Acting President Li Tsung-Jen promised the people of Nanking he will not flee the capital under any circumstances. As the city came within the reach of the nearby Red armies, Li's "caretaker" regime awaited word from the Communist command as to the time and place for peace negotiations.

London, Jan. 25.—Reuters reported from Shanghai today that the Chinese Communists have broadcast a declaration of willingness to negotiate peace terms with the Nationalists.

Reuters said the declaration was broadcast by the Communist North Shensi radio.

The broadcast reportedly declared that a site for the peace talks can be selected only after the "total liberation" of Peiping but suggested that they will probably be held in Peiping.

ISRAELI CITIZENS CASTING BALLOTS

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LYNN, Mass.—Harrison Smith, 66, had the misfortune to encounter three St. Bernards in full flight after an automobile. Smith suffered severe head injuries when he was bowled over by the dogs. True to tradition, the St. Bernards waited beside the prone Smith until help arrived.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends, neighbors and relatives for the kindness and sympathy extended us during the illness and death of our father and husband, Kazimierz Boron. Also for beautiful flowers and cars donated.

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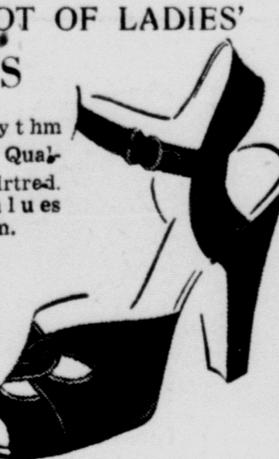
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The Mount of Offense is not far from the Mount of Olives in Palestine (the modern Batu el Hawa), where, according to tradition, King Solomon erected altars for the heathen gods of his foreign wives.

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Taft-Hartley
Repeal Drive
Is Speeded Up

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—(INS) — The Democratic drive for Taft-Hartley law repeal is on a speeded-up timetable today under strategy designed to block Republican efforts to preserve any part of that measure.

The senate labor committee, after prodding by Majority Leader Lucas (D) Ill., voted to wipe out the Taft-Hartley act, restore the Wagner law and modify the latter in abbreviated hearings ending Feb. 10.

It will be a "one-package" labor bill, contrary to the demands of organized labor, but Democratic leaders hope to restrict the Wagner act amendments to the proposals recommended by President Truman.

In his state of the union message, Mr. Truman called for a ban on jurisdictional strikes, unjustifiable secondary boycotts and strikes over interpretation of contracts and machinery for handling national emergency disputes.

Sen. Thomas (D) Utah, chairman of the senate labor committee, said he plans to introduce Thursday a bill now being completed by Secretary of Labor Tobin embodying the president's proposals. The measure will be introduced in the house by Rep. Lesinski (D) Mich.

Thomas added that he hoped the committee could begin hearings Friday with Tobin as the first witness.

Report German
Soviet State Is
To Be Proclaimed

LONDON, Jan. 25.—(INS) — Political circles in Berlin reported today that Russia plans to pull her occupation troops back to the Polish frontier early this summer and proclaim at East German Communist state.

The London Daily Telegraph, quoting Berlin reports, said that the Soviet withdrawal will be to the line of the Oder and Neisse rivers, 45 miles east of Berlin.

The newspaper said that the Soviets have already set up governmental organs which will be recognized as a "peoples' government" when the withdrawal takes place.

Thus, the Kremlin would be able to claim that Eastern Germany is "self-governing" while Western Germany is still occupied by the U.S., Britain and France.

Russia, according to the Telegraph, would use this claim as the springboard for increasing Communist agitation in the west.

The paper added that should the plan fail, Red Army troops would re-occupy all of Eastern Germany in a single day under a special "mutual aid agreement" with the puppet regime.

THE WORLD AND
THE MUD PUDDLES
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However, there are many instances in which the whining youngster should be sent to another room to remain until he can "come out smiling" or, preferably, have to sit in a chair where he can be seen, doing nothing for a definite purpose. Often such measures prove very effective in cultivating desirable self-control.

When a child is kicking or shrieking, the best procedure, as a rule, is to do nothing and say nothing, not only ignoring him outwardly, but not even having any stirrings in your insides—psychological ignoring. If, however, the young child in rage is endangering the furniture, some person, or himself, a sound paddling might be very desirable and effective, if it is connected directly with the act and not vaguely with his anger. (My beliefs, "Temper Tantrums" and "How To Control Your Temper," may be had in a stamped envelope by writing me at 235 East 45th street, New York, N. Y.)

Charles Dickens' novel Oliver Twist, first appeared serially in a magazine called Bentley's Miscellany, between January, 1837, and March, 1839.

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In the days of our forefathers boys and girls were dressed like little men and women. In the last 40 or 50 years we have developed clothing especially fitted to the children. There are large, easily buttoned buttons, sturdy materials that resist wear and tear, ample provisions for free movement of all parts of the body.

Yet some parents are more interested in the appearance of their children than in the provision of suitable clothing for normal play activities. Thus youngsters are sent to school in white starched suits or dresses with all sorts of "buttons and bows." Or they go out to play in clothes that are supposed to be kept clean and neat.

More and more schools are encouraging parents to send children to schools in overalls or other garb appropriate for work experience. When school was largely a matter of sitting still, reading, writing, figuring and spelling, "dress up" clothes weren't so bad. Today in school, at home and in the neighborhood, we permit an even encourage a much more active kind of living for youngsters—one suited to their physical and emotional needs. And the right kind of clothing is an important part of the equipment for active play.

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WASHINGTON
CALLING
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This alone would cost upwards of \$150,000,000. The government has a series of projects in connection with a far-reaching agriculture program that is designed to make India self-sufficient in food supply within a relatively short time.

India is a perfect example of how technology and capital can be employed to transform living standards. With the prospect that political and religious differences can be resolved, both India and Pakistan are hopeful of moving into the age of modern technology.

The world bank would seem to be the ideal instrument to underwrite this advance. It should be the focus of the whole program that the president talked about in his point No. 4. Soviet Russia is not a member of the world bank; therefore the veto does not operate.

This country cannot escape its share of responsibility for the present impotence of the United Nations. Bowing before the symbol of the U. N. we proceed to bypass it. However, much this may seem to have been dictated by the obstacles of the veto and Russian aggression, the facts cannot be denied and it is time we faced them.

Here in the president's proposal and in the world bank there is a chance to demonstrate that this country does not intend to usurp the U. N. role. Realism and idealism are not always in conflict. (Copyright, 1949, by United Feature Syndicate, Inc.)

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129 E. WASHINGTON ST. PHONE 808Says 'Comics' Are
Not Too DangerousChicago Psychiatrist Believes That
Comic Books No Worse Than
'Jack The Giant Killer'

CHICAGO—(INS)—A noted Chicago psychiatrist believes that comic books are NOT as dangerous to children as people have been led to believe.

Dr. Sophie Schroeder Sloman, acting director for the famed Institute for Juvenile Research in Chicago, asserted that the role of the so-called comic books in scaring

the wits out of the younger generation has been overstressed.

She added:

"I do not believe they have much of an enduring effect that is harmful."

The comic books aren't much different from the 'Jack the Giant Killer' stories we read as children." Dr. Sloman had no such kind words for horror movies as far as the younger set is concerned. She pointed out that films of the "Dracula" and "Frankenstein" type are harmful because their impact is dispatched by both ear and eye.

She noted that the effect is especially marked on insecure nervous children.

She said the horror movie intensifies anxieties and fears in this type of child and leads to poor relations with the parents.

NORTH BEAVER
FIREMEN TO MEET

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TO PROTECT THE PUBLIC

Weakness in the present handling of sex offenses in this State would be corrected by a proposed new law introduced in the Legislature.

It would make mandatory a court-ordered mental examination by a three-member board of psychiatrists of any person charged with a sex offense. It would also make discretionary with the court and the district attorney a similar examination of persons not charged with such crimes, but believed to be sexual psychopaths.

The court would have authority to order the commitment, where advised by the examiners, to an appropriate mental hospital and the State Welfare Department would be required to provide adequate facilities for care and treatment. Before release or probation is granted another psychiatric examination would be necessary.

Under present practice, treatment of sex offenders is loose and unsatisfactory, resulting frequently in the release of deranged persons who should never be allowed at large, and who may at any time commit some shocking crime.

Sexual psychopaths, for the safety of the community and their own good, should be kept out of circulation.

TWELVE ON TRIAL

The Smith Act of 1940, under which 12 members of the "politburo" of the American communist party are now being prosecuted, was hotly debated at the time of its passage. It was the first peacetime sedition law in this country since the Federalist sedition acts were abandoned in 1798.

The law broke with the traditional principle that it is permissible in this country for people to shoot off their mouths about revolution, as long as they don't actually try to start one.

Stalinists—supporters of the communist party—will now fight the law as unconstitutional "persecution." But they were strongly in favor of that sort of "persecution" when the law was invoked in 1941 against alleged Trotskyites, or anti-Stalin communists. And in 1943 they were equally eager for the conviction of a group of alleged "native fascists." They are opposed to the Smith Act only when the shoe pinches.

The Trotskyites, 18 of them, were convicted on one count of conspiring to incite insubordination in the U. S. Army, and sentenced to serve terms of a little more than a year. They were acquitted on a second count charging conspiracy to cause the violent overthrow of the government. Trial of the alleged "native fascists" was called off after the judge died.

The indictment under which the present trial is being conducted is similar to the one that could not be made to stick against the Trotskyites. The 12 Stalinist leaders are charged with conspiring to advocate and teach the overthrow of the American government. No overt acts are charged against them.

The U. S. Supreme Court has never been asked to rule on this aspect of the act, as there have been no convictions on the advocating-overthrow count. On past form, the court would probably insist on a showing of clear and present danger, both great and immediate.

But the 12 men have also been indicted, and may later be tried on counts charging not conspiracy but specific violations.

FORGETTING THE OTHERS

As everybody probably is aware, President Truman, Vice President Barkley and Speaker of the House Rayburn each received a substantial bump in salary and expense allowances at high noon on January 20. The merits (or evils) of this move have been fully discussed throughout the length and breadth of the land.

What has not been sufficiently emphasized, though, is that in the rush on Capitol Hill to get the chief executive's raise through the statutory deadline, the greater portion of the original bill was junked. It will be remembered that the legislation, as recommended by the Hoover Commission, would have scaled upward the salaries of some 200 top level government officials.

There is a definite need, as the commission pointed out, putting some system into the situation where now, because of special legislation, some subordinate officials actually receive more than their superiors. It will not be necessary to employ the tax-exempt "expense account" device. A moderate increase in pay would be acceptable to the forgotten 200.

Judging by recent displays it seems 1949 weather will come in assorted sizes and colors, with a variety designed to please all customers.

Business and government are to be teamed up in the interest of prosperity. Business is convinced, however, that it will get the short end of the double-tree.

The Washington press being what it is, no newspaper in the nation's capital pointed out during the inauguration hoopla that 50.5 per cent of the voters cast ballots against Truman in the recent election and only 49.5 for him.

In View Of News Of The World

By J. C. OESTREICHER, INS Foreign Director

The ears of the world were tuned to the voice of Moscow today for the earliest possible answer to a burning question—was the rebellion in China that ended the 22-year-old Nationalist regime staged on direct orders from the Kremlin or was it really a "peoples' uprising" against an unpopular government?

The second explanation, of course, is a characteristic Soviet "line" in itself.

But the extent of Russia's so-called determination to maintain a "hands-off" policy on the grounds that the Chinese overthrow is a purely domestic turn of affairs must be judged on the words and actions of the Kremlin.

Can Be Tested

This vaunted Soviet sincerity can be tested on a number of points.

First, will China's Communists insist on the arrest and trial of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek as a "war criminal?"

Despite the aloofness and dictatorial policies which won for Chiang a good deal of personal unpopularity at home, it is inconceivable that the rank and file of Chinese people for whom he labored unceasingly would demand his head now that political fortunes have turned against him.

If the once-powerful "glossimo" is treated with respect as a retired individual eclipsed for the meantime whose sage advice and counsel is still welcomed, the theory of an internal uprising naturally will be strengthened.

Second, will Mao Tse-Tung, the Communist leader from Yenan who is the heart and core of the revolt, attempt to collectivize the vast farmlands of China?

Of Tremendous Importance

This is of tremendous importance. Collectivization is the pivotal center of Communism. The system could not exist without it. Even in liberty-loving Czechoslovakia, the Red masters have had to put it into effect by force, running the risk of an eventual revolution that could involve all of Eastern Europe.

There never has been anything fictional about the importance of the soil to the Chinese people.

An acre or two, handed down from father to son, has been more important than anything else throughout history. For a paddy field or a few hundred square yards of bare and reluctant earth a Chinese will give his life, pay taxes and give armed service to the soi to the Chinese people.

With their overwhelming military strength, the Communists are in a position to make each one of the pitiful farms part of a vast governmental system.

By Sheer Force

But it will have to be done by sheer force. And if it is done, this will be conclusive proof that there was nothing of popular inspiration at all in the movement that has created another China, for good or evil.

A third point that will touch very closely upon the strong "stop Communism" policy enunciated by President Truman in his inaugural address will concern the occupation and government of Korea.

If this China affair is actually another adventure by Joseph Stal-

only when the shoe pinches.

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The Parent Problem

By Garry C. Myers, Ph. D.

CHILD WITH TEMPER TANTRUMS

The tiny infant may express anger at being unduly hampered by his clothing or when he is bathed and dressed. Subtly, he learns very early that crying, kicking or the like may bring him certain satisfaction and he, therefore, can easily develop a violent tantrum when his wishes have been thwarted. With enough reward of this fashion, aided and abetted by the mere attention and show of concern by adults during his rage, his tantrums can grow to be more frequent, prolonged and violent. As he waxes older, he may, during a rage, destroy things, throw them about or at some person, abuse, curse or attack that person in some other way. A certain child at the age of five would, when enraged, seize a butcher knife and drive the family out of the house. Another lad, 16, could make the whole household tremble with a violent temper tantrum.

Now a temper tantrum at the age of four, six or ten is not basically different from a fit of anger at the age of 30, during which a wife may murder her husband. Most tantrums which persist in later life are of course less violent and destructive; yet many a youth (perhaps a parent) will, in a tantrum, prove himself almost any sort of social nuisance. He may, for example, talk back to the teacher or boss or quit a job or game when things don't go his way. He may blow up in a student council meeting, kick or knock things about, curse some person, refuse to communicate, or may feign illness. Any such behavior renders him a less-likable, less-cooperative person and citizen.

The first essential in prevention and correction of temper tantrums in the growing child are poise and self-control in the parent, especially at the moment when the child is enraged. Rarely, if ever, would a child develop violent temper tantrums, if he never got his way by crying and the like.

Any health impairment can of course render rage more likely, especially in its abortive form, whining. But the whining habit begun by the child when he is not well, may continue after he entirely recovers, especially if because of illness his whims have been catered to.

Ignore the Whining

Like all other forms of tantrums, the whining habit may be corrected by paying no attention to it and making sure it never gains anything for the child that he wants.

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BIBLE THOUGHT

Whom I shall see for myself, and mine eyes shall behold, and not another; though my reins be consumed within me.—Job 19:27.

But George thought for a while. Then he said: "Yeah, but I was talking about the others, not about me."

Thus endeth our lesson in economics.

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From Me To You

By MESEALL

Say friends . . . do you really want to have a good time . . . get in some good belly laughs? Ok . . . here's what you do . . . buy a ticket to the Donkey Olympics . . . to be held in The Arena tomorrow night . . . The New Castle Lions Club are the sponsors . . . but more than just sponsors, they are putting many members into the act.

Surprising though it may be . . . the Donkey Olympics is not merely a basketball game with the players using Donkeys for transportation . . . no indeed . . . 12 acts of a very interesting nature will play.

Even people who favor the Nationalists must have noted that he quit with his kinno still unbroken.

And nobody ever won a war without getting some dust on his carpet slippers.

Tom Fletcher . . . well now . . . if you want to see clowning as it should be done . . . Tommy boy is the one to see . . . He will be every place and to insure his act against accidents he has been visiting the donkeys at regular intervals . . . for the past four days he hasn't taken a meal without first asking their permission . . . but we can't tell you all the secrets of the evening . . . you will have to take time and make Wednesday evening your evening to go to The Arena and laugh and laugh . . . and what time do you think the entertainment will start?

* * *

7:57 . . . yes sir, that's the way the Lions boys do . . . start on the tick of a clock . . . 7:57 p. m. . . remember that . . . now if it is the Rotary Club boys, they would have published some time as 8:30 and no one would have paid much attention . . . but when an organization goes the nth degree to figure out a schedule and come up with a 7:57 starting time . . . you can mark down in your book that they really have something good up their sleeve.

By the way . . . monies received by the New Castle Lions from this performance will be used to further their very worthy work among the various civic activities in our community . . . and here's a tip, if you can't buy a ticket . . . call Councilman Dick Davis . . . he'll get you one.

Omaha Blues



Another Television View

By PAUL GALlico

From time to time I have tossed a gentle satiric brick in the general direction of television. Everybody duck. Here comes a posy. It's just one of the most wonderful inventions ever. This is one for the people.

Not that I own a set, mind you, or intend acquiring one. I wouldn't dare. I'd never get any work done. No good for folks who work at home and live by thinking, reading and writing. You turn the knob just to see what's doing and bingo, you're hooked—even if it's a bum movie. You've just got to see how it comes out.

But for people who are out all day, slugging for a living and who come home at night in need of rest, relaxation and amusement, video is unsurpassed. I've been catching shows here and there and, crude as the industry still is, it is nevertheless more fun than a barrel of monkeys.

Changed Our Life

Got to talking to a cab driver the other day who had bought himself a set. He said, "Darned if I know how we ever got along without it before, me and the wife and the two kids. It's changed our whole life. It's wonderful. I work a night shift, from about one in the morning, so I sleep late in the afternoon. But I let a couple of hours of sleep go just so I can get up and hang around that television set with the family.

"The Missus is crazy about it, and, as for the kids, why this is the greatest thing that ever happened. You know how kids are about going to bed. Now it's a cinch. Every night they look at 'Howdy Doody.' So when it's over the voice says, 'That's all for tonight. Now Howdy Doody wants you all to be good children and get right into bed and go to sleep . . .'

"Boom! That's it. My kids get up, go over and kiss the screen, beat it upstairs and ten minutes later they're asleep. Jiminy, that's living, ain't it?"

He also revealed that video was unparalleled for the kind of blackmail that harassed (or sometimes incompetent parents) practice on children. The cab driver said that all he had to tell the kids was that if they didn't obey their mother, or do what their daddy told them, no Howdy Doody that night. To date they had not been able to withstand this pressure.

Truly Enchanting

Some of the puppet shows they put on the screen for the kids are truly enchanting. Somebody awfully good is writing them. They've got to be good, because kids don't go for anything that is phony or written down to them or that is patronizing. There is one show with a live lady M. C. and puppets including a dragon with one tooth that I like to watch. The dialogue has that wonderful irresponsibility that appeals to children—all ages.

I am excited about the medium because I see the dawn of a new political day. The video camera is murder on a phon. The lens gets right down under his skin and shows up the bunc merchant, fathead and faker. If a man has layers of insincerity beneath his peit it brings it out and smears it all over his face where everybody can see it.

Won't Fool Old Eagle Video Eye

The guys with the uncouth voices used to be able to get away with it on the radio, but they won't fool the old eagle video eye any more than they used to be able to kid the newsreel cameras. When a windbag looking to eat at the public trough steps before the television cameras, bats his eyes and says, "My fellow citizens—" he'd better mean it. Also, he'd better look like a nice man and a human being. Creeps like Rankin and the later brother Bilbo could never garner a single vote via video.

I suppose all sorts of flaws will develop and we will be told that it is really very bad for the moppets because it will tend to take them away from their comic books, but right now, even in its infant stage, the medium is bringing more pleasure, excitement, entertainment and education to plain people than anything that has ever happened to them. I reserve the right to criticize the material used on it, but the medium itself is a knockout.

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State Police Say:

Many drivers seem to forget that they are entitled to only one-half of the highway. This especially is true when temporary obstructions are placed on one side of the highway or where they encounter slow moving vehicles.

Short Session Of Legislature Being Forecast

Many New Bills And Proposals Are Presented To House

HARRISBURG, Jan. 25.—(INS)—The Pennsylvania General Assembly appears headed today toward a whirlwind but realistic session with early adjournment its chief target.

Lawmakers are scheduled to meet three days this week, indicating the sincerity of the pledge of leaders to make the oft-promised "short, business like session" a reality.

House Majority Leader Charles H. Brunner, Jr., (R) Montgomery said Republicans will make "an earnest effort" to adjourn the legislature's 138th regular session in April. He explained that this week's meeting is the earliest three-day session in the recollection of veterans.

March 3 Deadline

As further indication of the assembly's intention to work for early adjournment, the lower chamber yesterday unanimously adopted a joint resolution establishing a March 3 deadline for introduction of all but appropriation and revenue-raising measures. The deadline is designed to speed action on minor measures to allow the assembly to devote its efforts to major legislation after that date. The senate is expected to follow custom and not fix a bill deadline.

Meanwhile, the legislative action centered on routine business pending the arrival of Gov. James H. Duff's budget for the 1949-51 biennium opening June 1. The governor has promised administration leaders a week's notice on the budget.

Two-Terms For Governors

Reps. J. P. Moran and George E. Jenkins, Allegheny county Democrats, sponsored a measure in the lower house to amend the state constitution to allow re-election of a governor for successive terms.

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Under present law, the governor may not succeed himself.

Minority Leader Andrews introduced four companion bills in the lower chamber to liberalize the state's housing laws. The measures would authorize the state housing board to make loans and grants to housing authorities for veterans and their families, and single veterans; amend the housing authority law to include all third class cities, all boroughs and all first class townships and provide for rural housing, exempt property acquired, maintained and operated by a housing authority from real estate taxes; and redefine the "housing emergency."

A measure sponsored by Rep. John J. Mikula (R) Luzerne, would require state liquor agents to identify themselves when investigating taprooms, while another bill, sponsored by Rep. Wilmer W. Waterhouse (R) Erie, proposed to limit the number of distributors' licenses issued by the liquor board to 1000 in the state. The latter bill carried a proviso to permit six distributor's licenses per county, regardless of the statewide quota.

Rep. Francis Worley (R) Adams, introduced a bill to establish direct primary elections for presidential candidates. The measure would require all national convention delegates to pledge their support to the candidate for president receiving the highest number of votes in the state.

Other bills introduced in the house included measures to: reduce the working hours for firemen and policemen in Philadelphia and third class cities; make permanent revocation of operators' licenses compulsory upon the second conviction for drunken driving; raise the per diem pay for visiting judges from \$20 to \$30; and establish a closed season for fishing 30 days prior to the opening of the trout season.

Predicts Congress Will Reduce Time For Rent Control

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—(INS)—Sen. Sparkman (D) Ala., predicted today that Congress will cut President Truman's two-year rent control extension bill to 15 months.

Sparkman, chairman of the Senate Banking committee's rent and housing subcommittee, forecast extension of rent controls to June 30, 1950.

While the major provisions in the bill face no apparent danger of being continued necessary for rent controls is shaping up on Capitol Hill.

Sen. Flanders (R) Vt., a Senate subcommittee member, said he is "disturbed" over the need for a new extension. He added:

"I am fearful that injustices to small landlords are growing instead of diminishing."

Flanders said he intends to inquire into how well the local boards set up last year are operating. They were established to adjust "hardship" cases and to recommend decontrol of areas where the housing shortage has eased.

The Vermont Senator said he is thinking of offering again his proposal of two years ago for a "progressive" boosting of rental ceilings by "say five percent every six months."

Quick Citizenship



FIVE WEEKS after arriving in the U. S. from Germany, Mrs. Weira Gertude Rothfelder, 26, signs her American citizenship papers in Chicago. The speedy naturalization was possible because her husband, a former U. S. Army major, is now on civilian duty with the Import-Export Bank in Munich and a law grants such rights to wives of government employees overseas. She will soon return. (International)

Hospital Notes

NEW CASTLE

Admitted—Mrs. Jessie Pruitt, 420 East Division street; Carl Scungio, 520 East Lutton street; Mrs. Lucy Nard, 1011 Dewey avenue; Angelo DeRamo, 212 East Clayton street; Mrs. Rose Turco, 221 East Lutton street; Joseph Palmieri, 216 Montgomery avenue; Richard Orico, 701 East Lutton street.

Discharged—Mrs. Clara Vittio, 1019 Adams street; Joseph Rozzi, 706 Chestnut street; Mrs. Fern Duff, 203 South Pine street; Louis Abraham, 418 Waldo street; Louise Malley, 1417 Laurel place.

JAMESON MEMORIAL

Admitted—Mrs. Katherine Filling, 430 Park avenue; Mrs. Ruth Moore, R.D. 1, Ellwood City; Mrs. Frances Covelli, 94 S. Lee avenue; Mrs. Deema Murdoch, 306½ W. Washington street; Suzanne Enos, R.D. 4; Mrs. Agnes McGaffie, 1311 Wilmington avenue; George Kelso, 429 Neshannock avenue.

Discharged—James Palmer, 315 Knox street; Nancy Blanchard, Ellwood City; Mrs. Nellie Carter, 529½ Sampson street; Mrs. Olive Campbell, 921 W. Washington street; Lefoy Simcock, 219 E. Sheridan avenue; Mrs. Harriett Severa, 202 Pine street; Mrs. Julia Puchlapek, 1603 Morris street; Mrs. Mildred Burton and daughter, Wampum; Milton Hockenberry, R.D. 1, Slippery Rock.

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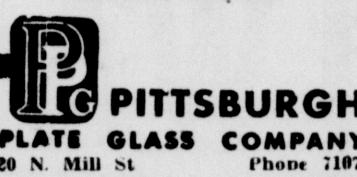


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Officers, Friends Gather For Party

President Of Columbus Auxiliary Gives Surprise Party On Birthday Anniversary

Officers of the Columbus Auxiliary and friends, gathered on Saturday evening, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Iovanella, 510 West Cherry street, for a surprise party. The occasion was in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Iovanella, who is president of Columbus Auxiliary.

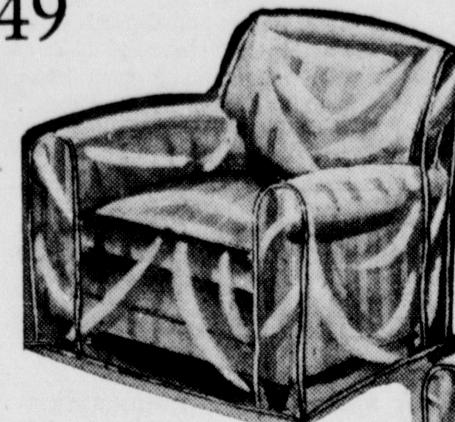
Various games, and a period of music, were the diversions of the evening.

Mrs. Rose Leone, assisted by Mrs. Mary Munno, Mrs. Fred Iovanella, served a delicious lunch and refreshments.

Mrs. Leone and Mrs. Munno, on behalf of the auxiliary officers, with well chosen words, presented the honored guest with a lovely gift, and Mrs. Iovanella graciously thanked all for their kindness.

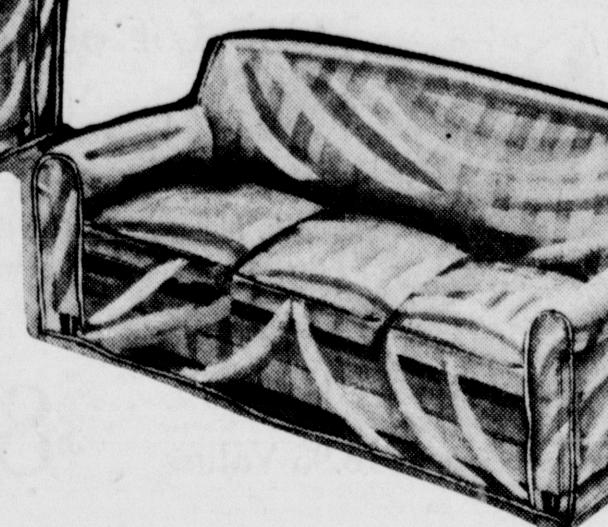
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He was privileged to witness the presidential inauguration at Washington last week. While there, he

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Communists Make Gain In Japan Election

TOKYO, Jan. 25.—(INS)—Complete official returns from Sunday's general election showed late today that Premier Shigeru Yoshida's ultra-conservative group won decisive control over Japan's new parliament.

Simultaneously, the communists captured nearly nine times the number of seats they held in the outgoing Diet to become the nation's fourth-ranking party.

Both extremes of right and left scored smashing gains at the expense of the moderate parties of the center which suffered serious losses.

A top Japanese communist meanwhile, called for a "people's front" parliamentary coalition to fight what he termed the "reactionary" regime of Premier Yoshida.

Over 30,000,000 Votes

Yoshida's Democratic-Liberal party, which is Japan's most conservative political group despite its title, obtained 264 of the 466 seats in the new house of representatives. It polled 13,381,610 to the popular votes out of a total of 30,590,179 ballots cast.

The final official tabulation, announced at Gen. Douglas MacArthur's allied occupation headquarters in Tokyo, showed that the communists won 35 seats as against the four they held in the outgoing house. Their popular vote totaled 2,984,583—nearly 2,000,000 more than the Communist party polled in the 1947 election.

The second strongest group in the incoming house of representatives, which is Japan's controlling governmental organ, will be Ken Inukai's Democrats, who are slightly less conservative than Yoshida's rightist organization.

The nation's voters returned 68 Democratic party candidates to the house, giving them 4,835,504 votes.

Bar Association Would Eliminate 'Closed Shop'

HARRISBURG, Jan. 25.—(INS)—Legislation to outlaw the "closed shop" principle of bar associations was backed today by State Sen. A. Evans Kephart, son of a former chief justice of the state supreme court.

The 43-year-old Philadelphia Republican lawmaker sponsored a bill which would eliminate the one-year residence requirement for lawyers awaiting admittance to practice. Companion legislation, a proposed amendment to the state's constitution, would allow an attorney authorized to plead before the state supreme court to practice before any one of the lower courts in Pennsylvania.

The closed shop controversy was placed before the joint state government commission in 1947 by Sen. John M. Walker (R) Allegheny.

An important meeting will take place this evening at the Trades and Labor assembly hall on East Washington street, when plans will be discussed for a party.

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A British bulldog and a Russian wolfhound were ambling down Regent street together. "This country getting on my nerves," admitted the bull. "No decent meat for the past six years! And it's so long since I've seen a good bone I don't remember what they look like."

"Hmph," scoffed the wolfhound, "you should see how it is in Moscow. Meat six times a day. Fine bones piled up at every corner. And champagne with which to wash it down." "If things are so hot-salty in Moscow," grumbled the bull, "what are you doing here in London?" "Well," sighed the Russian wolfhound, "a fellow likes to bark once in a while, too!"

Mrs. "Kirk" Erlanger, boss lady of the canines who rendered such assistance to the infantry in the recent war, was asked why her dogs were trained so much better than any others. Mrs. Erlanger playfully attributed her success to a single hardfast rule: "As soon as my dogs reach the age of six months, I always tell them about the birds and the fleas."

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Proposed State Gas Tax Hike Under Attack

HARRISBURG, Jan. 25.—(INS)—The Associated Petroleum Industries of Pennsylvania today assailed the gasoline tax hike recommended by Gov. James H. Duff and charged the Highways Department with failure to utilize all available federal funds for roadbuilding.

Duff has asked the General Assembly to add two cents to the four cents a gallon levy for the 1949-51 biennium starting June 1.

The oil lobby, leading the fight against the proposal, said information from official sources indicated revenues for the next two years would be sufficient to carry the governor's \$100,000,000 annual roadbuilding program through the biennium.

"The governor's current program can be carried out without any increase in gasoline taxes," the association asserted, "if the highway department fully utilizes federal aid funds available to it."

Union Label League Elects Officers

Women's Union Label League elected the following officers at their recent meeting: president, Mrs. Florence Hoover; first vice president, Mrs. Bertha Kienast; second vice, Mrs. Grace Gerald; recording and corresponding secretary, Mrs. Catherine Brogan; treasurer and financial secretary, Mrs. Eleanor Skundor; sergeant at arms, Mrs. Sue Oberleitner; chaplain, Mrs. Anna Nolte; door-keeper, Mrs. Margaret Gilliland; trustees, Mrs. Josephine Cover and Miss Helen Kienast.

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Big Bill Lias Wants New Trial

WHEELING, W. Va., Jan. 25.—(INS)—Defense attorneys for William G. (Big Bill) Lias today had until 10 a.m. next Tuesday to reply to U. S. District Attorney C. Lee Spiller's contention that "Lias' motion for a new trial was untimely and should be denied in toto."

Lias, owner of Wheeling Downs, was sentenced to five years in prison for income tax evasion last November before Federal Judge W. E. Baker.

Lias asked the court to vacate judgment and sentence of five years and grant a new trial. He claimed that he pleaded guilty under the impression he would be given probation.

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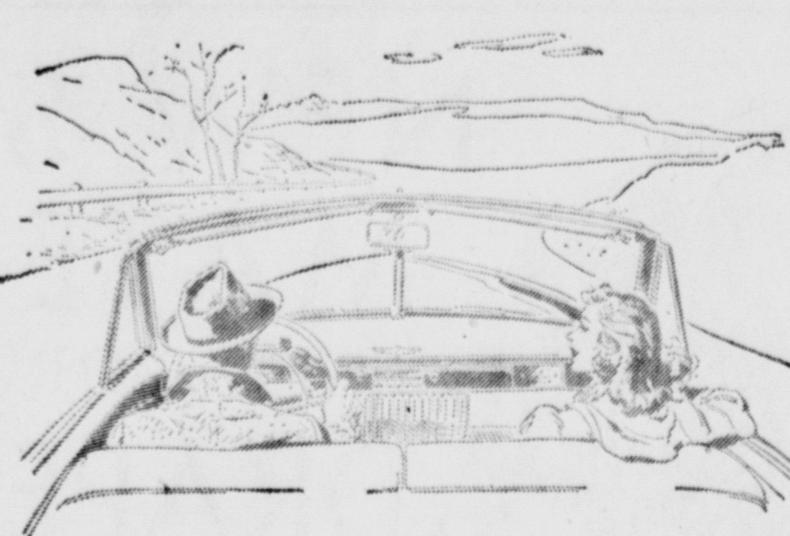
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CHURCH NOTES

The Lucy Henderson Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. A. E. Snodgrass on Wednesday, Jan. 19 for an all day quilting. Next meeting will be on Jan. 26 for an all day meeting, when new officers will be elected.

GRANGE NOTES

North Beaver grangers met in their hall on Thursday evening, January 20, with Master Alan Anderson in charge. After the business meeting, the lecturer, Miss Katherine Bozinski was in charge of the following program: son by the grange; roll call of everyone present of what a medicine cabinet should consist. Mr. and Mrs. David Byler of Mahoning Valley Grange were special guests. Mr. Byler presented a very interesting talk on, "What the Farmers Want." Household hints by Mrs. Dorothy

Anderson. Special music by Bob Brodbeck. Song by the grange.

At the close of the program a light luncheon was served by those on the committee.

Next regular meeting will be on February 18.

North Beaver Grange entertains Pomona Grange on Saturday, February 12.

MORAVIA NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Curry and family of Scottdale, Pa., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Perry.

Mrs. Geraldine Gierling and infant son has returned home from the Jameson hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stelter and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Stelter attended the birthday party in honor of their mother, Mrs. Elmer Stelter, of Wampum, recently.



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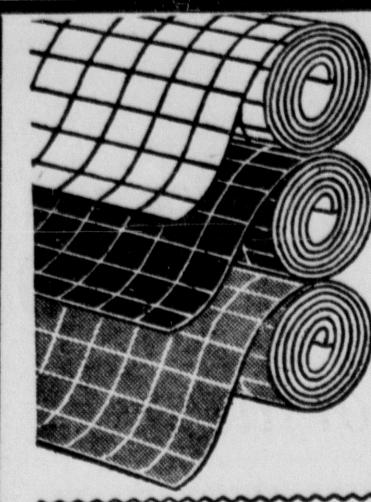
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Dr. Galbreath Named Moderator

Shenango Presbytery Session Gets Under Way This Morning In First Presbyterian Church

Dr. Robert F. Galbreath, pastor of First Presbyterian church, was elected moderator of Shenango Presbytery for the term of one year during the opening session of the January meeting of Shenango Presbytery which got under way at 10 o'clock this morning in First Presbyterian church.

Dr. Galbreath succeeds W. Sharp Fullerton of North Beaver township who has served for two six month terms in the important church position. Heretofore the term has been only six months. A new docket of business was presented to the large assemblage of ministers and lay delegates present at the opening session for adoption during the day.

During the morning period reports were given on various projects of the Presbytery, including the standing of Shenango Presbytery in the Restoration Fund. Rev. John M. Fife, pastor of Westfield Presbyterian church introduced Dr. Harry A. Rhodes, veteran missionary to Korea with 40 years experience. Dr. Rhodes outlined to the delegates, the organization and development of the Korean church.

Following the noon recess, the Presbytery session continued through the afternoon hours.

Panther Club To Have Election

Panther club members will meet on Wednesday evening in the Sons of Italy club rooms at 7:30 o'clock, at which time election of officers will take place.

President Joseph Clavelli will be in charge at this time.

CHARGE, TRAFFIC IN LOTTERY

Joseph Natale of East Cherry street and Gennaro Conti, of Forge street, were arrested by Detectives Thompson and Boyle and Patrolman Bartoshek at Natale's home on a charge of traffic in lottery. They were alleged by the officers to have had number slips in their possession. They were charged with the offense before Alderman Claude Mantz in an information signed by the chief of police, Robert D. Hanna.

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Neshannock Pupils Given Patch Test

Executive secretary, Mrs. Jane M. Cochran of the Lawrence County Tuberculosis society, and Mrs. Bessie Sloan, school nurse for Neshannock township schools, have completed giving the patch test to the more than 140 students and teachers at the Walmo and Clemmons schools.

Those who react positively to the test after it has been on their arm for several days will be X-rayed at the Tuberculosis society's new offices in the Greer building, North Mercer street.

Woman Escapes In Highway Crash

Mrs. Ruth Gilbert, of R.D.8, was trapped in a car which she was driving on the Grove City-Mercer road Monday afternoon when it went off the road and turned upside down in a ditch, one-half mile east of Mercer. Passersby extricated her from the wrecked machine, which was owned by the A. S. Garvey Co. of Erie, and took her to the Mercer hospital.

Examination at the hospital revealed only slight injuries, cuts on the side of the face and head, but the machine was virtually demolished.

Mrs. Gilbert told state police she was forced onto the soggy berm by a reckless driver coming in the opposite direction, and when she tried to get back onto the road her car went across the highway and into the ditch.

Autos Collide At Harlansburg

Edson Bailey, Bridgeville, Pa., and Louis George, Ambridge, Pa., sustained lacerations and bruises when the cars they drove collided at the junction of Routes 19 and 108, at Harlansburg, at 3:45 p. m. yesterday.

Bailey said he was traveling toward Slippery Rock, stopped for the Stop sign at the intersection, failed to see George driving north on the Perry highway, and the collision occurred.

The cars were damaged badly.

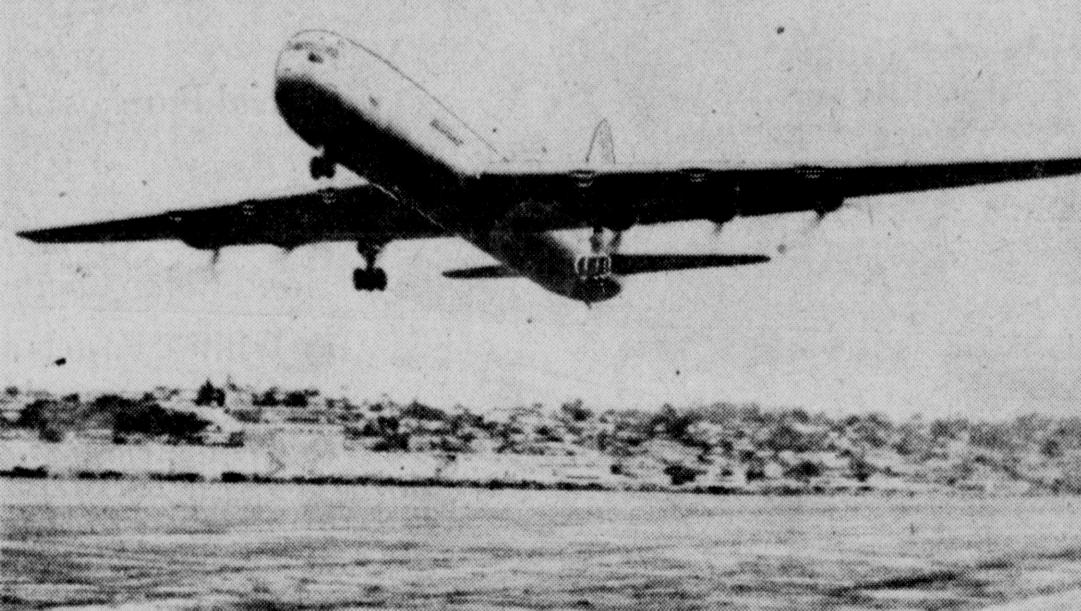
Two Students To Aid Production Of College Play

Two Westminster students from New Castle are members of the production crew for the college's Little Theater production, "I Remember Mama."

Jeanne Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Lewis, 126 East Wallace avenue, is on the stage crew for the play and Alice Mitsos, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Mitsos, 321 Boyles, will work on properties.

The play, which is directed by Donald L. Barbe, will be presented February 7-12 at Westminster. Miss Helen V. Cushman is costumier.

Largest Land-Based Plane Takes Off At San Diego



Consolidated Vultee's XC-99, world's largest land-based plane, takes off at San Diego, Calif., after six month period during which changes were made in landing gear and elsewhere. Plane can carry 400 fully equipped troops.

Senator Taft To Aid Battle For Filibuster Gag

Will Probably Ask To Testify In Hearing On Cloture Application Proposal

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—(INS)—Sen. Taft (R) Ohio, GOP policy chairman, is ready today to throw his weight into the drive for a tighter gag on Senate filibusters.

Taft told a reporter he probably will ask to testify in the Senate Rules Committee's public hearings on proposals to make it easier to apply cloture—gag rule—on Senate debate.

The Republican leader said he will want to lay before the committee the record of action taken by the GOP Policy Committee in pressing for a method to permit a vote on civil rights legislation.

The Rules Committee, called Sens. Pepper (D) Fla., and Morse (R) Ore., as witnesses today on a series of amendments to the cloture rule.

Sen. Ferguson (R) Mich., co-sponsor of one amendment, called the pending rule fight the "real test" of the civil rights issue. He predicted that the Senate will unite to break any filibuster against the change and adopt a new rule.

Ferguson said the wimping proposal will be that imposing cloture on debate by a two-thirds vote of the Senate, and granting each senator one hour of talk after the vote. He emphasized:

"It all depends on the Democrats—whether they stand fast—but I believe there are enough senators willing to get behind this to put it through."

All Contributors Invited To Chest Meeting Wednesday

All citizens who contributed to the 1948 Community Chest drive have been invited to attend the Chest organization meeting Wednesday, January 26, at The Castleton. Meeting time is 8:00 o'clock.

Contributors, regardless of the size of the donation, are members of the Chest under the newly adopted constitution and are therefore urged to take an active part in governing the organization.

Twenty-four members will be elected to the board of directors at the Wednesday meeting. Eight will be elected for each of three terms varying in length from one to three years. Two members from each of the organizations that benefit from the Chest are also members of the board.

Representatives of each of these institutions have been asked to submit a brief summary of their organizations' activities during the past year. In addition, general chairman Sidney L. Lockley will present a final report on the 1948 Community Chest Drive.

It is hoped by the leaders that a large number of contributors will attend the meeting and strive to make the new system of Chest organization a success.

WOMAN INJURED

Mrs. Sarah Genkinger, of 216 Fairmont avenue, was treated at the Jameson Memorial hospital Monday afternoon, for a contusion of the left foot, received Sunday when she stepped in a hole on Mercer street.

IN BUTLER CASE
BUTLER, Jan. 25.—J. H. Wagner, 612 North Cedar street, New Castle, was one of the defendants in a damage suit growing out of a fatal auto-truck crash, more than two years ago on the Perry Highway, which went on trial in Butler county courts Monday.

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Stamp Club News



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New Castle Stamp Club will hold its regular meeting at the Y.M.C.A. at 8 o'clock, Thursday evening, during which time there will be nominations for officers for 1949. Junior Stamp Club members will meet during the same hour. Many of the younger members have received much help from the senior members of the club. Out of town stamp collectors are welcome to join the meetings.

John Hitch, president, will conduct a quiz with suitable prizes to be given winners. A door prize is to be presented also. The club meets every other Thursday. New members were admitted at the last meeting.

James Cherol, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Cherol of 1204 Washington avenue, will be among the 950 candidates to receive diplomas at the convocation exercises of the University of Pittsburgh Thursday morning, January 27, at the Syria Mosque, Pittsburgh. He will receive a bachelor of science degree.

Jim, a popular young man of this locality, was graduated from the January 1941 class of New Castle senior high school, and was president of the class.

He attended Westminster college prior to joining the U. S. army in 1942. For 40 months he served with the U. S. Coast Guard in both the Atlantic and Pacific areas. Following his honorable discharge in 1946, he resumed his studies at the University of Pittsburgh, majoring in industrial engineering.

In the near future Jim expects to start with General Electric in Schenectady, N. Y., his first assignment to be in Bridgeport, Conn.

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LETTER CARRIERS
TO MEET TONIGHT

Members of the local Branch No. 22, National Association of Letter Carriers, will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the Ecclesian club, and installation of officers will take place.

President Carroll Forrest will preside. After business, refreshments will be served.

COMMITTED TO JAIL

Harry Johnson who roomed at a local hotel was committed to the county jail in default of a \$25 fine by Alderman J. C. Kennedy on a charge of assault and battery sworn to by Samuel Edelstein. It was alleged Johnson entered Mr. Edelstein's place of business in South Jefferson street, asked for money and when refused attacked Mr. Edelstein.

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Court House

County Offered Ellwood Bridge

Ellwood Citizens Offer To Turn Over Ewing Park Bridge To County Commissioners

OTHER EVENTS IN COURT HOUSE

If the county commissioners want it, they can have the Ewing Park bridge in Ellwood City.

A delegation of Ellwood City citizens met with the county commissioners Monday morning and asked that the county defray the expense of painting the bridge.

During the conference it was suggested that the county might take the bridge over, a suggestion that met with the approval of the Ellwood delegation and was taken under consideration by the commissioners.

Back in 1938 the Boro of Ellwood City purchased the bridge from the National Tube company for \$1,000. At that time it was a toll bridge and needed repairs. The county assumed the job of repairing it and the cost was in the neighborhood of \$30,000.

There is ample law for the commissioners to take over the bridge and maintain it if they decide to do so.

3,950 NOW NON-VOTERS

For the time at least, there are 3,950 citizens of Lawrence county who are without a vote.

A. Lewis Conn, chief clerk of the registration bureau has just withdrawn from the voting lists the names of 3,950 men and women, who for various reasons have not voted for two years past.

Some of them have died, others may have moved from the county, but the bulk of them just didn't vote. They didn't vote in the primary or general election of either 1947 or 1948.

With their notices of withdrawal, which have been sent to them, are cards of renewal. Those who still live in the same precincts can restore their voting privilege by signing their names on the cards and mailing them back. They have 10 days in which to do this.

Unless they do so, they will not be permitted to vote in the primary election of September.

BRAHAM IN PITTSBURGH

Judge W. Walter Braham was in the Allegheny county courts Monday trying cases.

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS

Clare Elton Stitt, 22 Round street, New Castle; Jean Elizabeth Kennedy, R. D. 3, Kittanning, Pa.

Nicholas Perrotta, 1114 Cunningham avenue, New Castle; Nicoline Nocera, 1008 South Second street, Ellwood City.

Calvin DiCarlo, 315 Phillips street, New Castle; Rosemary Barrett, 231 Northview avenue, New Castle.

Wesley J. Elder, 243 South Bridge street, Struthers, O.; Wilhelmina Schmidt, R. D. 3, Emlenton.

John Joseph Donegan, 227 Meyer avenue, New Castle; Margaret Jane Falls, 1113 Summit street, New Castle.

Frank W. Coryea, 9 West Lowry street, New Castle; Stella S. Peel, R. D. 9, New Castle.

John L. Turner, 1164 Sharpsville street, Sharon; Mary E. Bronick, R. D. 1, Transfer.

Charles H. Phillips, 104 Stambaugh avenue, Sharon; Kathleen Poplin, 432 Neshannock avenue, New Castle.

REALTY TRANSFERS

Louis Scarnati and others to Maria Caterina Scarnati, 4th ward, \$1.

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Charles H. Hennon and wife to Ralph Farone and wife, Union township, \$1.

Ethel T. Troutman and wife to D. Thomas Natale and wife, 2nd ward, \$1.

Hattie R. Jones to Andy S. Tomasso and wife, Mahoning township, \$1.

John Grim and wife to William Domenick Bulesco and wife, 6th ward, \$1.

Clifford Comstock and wife to James E. Kane and wife, 7th ward, \$1.

Chester W. Thompson and wife to Carl W. Siegworth and wife, New Wilmington, \$1.

Robert A. Mitchell and wife to George H. Arnold and wife, 2nd ward, \$1.

Frank A. Swerdlitsch and wife to William B. Tuck and wife, Union township, \$1.

Alan C. Turner and wife to Clarence W. Smith, 2nd ward, \$1.

Charles W. Smith and wife to T. A. Nelson, Washington township, \$1.

Josephine Chill to James Jeanette and wife, Union township, \$1.

George McGary and wife to Charles W. Smith and wife, Scott township, \$1.

Minnie Margaret Chill Jeanette to Josephine Chill, Union township, \$1.

Clarence W. Smith and wife to John C. McMillen, 2nd ward, \$1.

Martin H. Houk, Jr., to Charles Lutz and wife, Chewton, \$1.

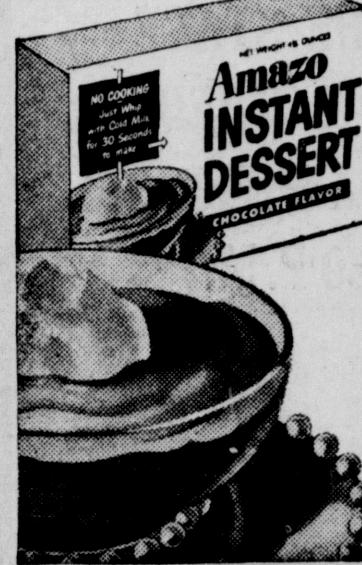
Eston M. Enke and wife to David W. Gilmore, Little Beaver township, \$1.

David Samuels to William P. Samuels, 6th ward, \$1.

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Home Economics Meeting Planned

On Wednesday, January 26, Miss Patricia Kelley, Home Economics Extension representative of Lawrence county will meet with the women from Perry community when they gather at the home of Mrs. Howard Aiken at 1:30 p.m.

This will be a planning meeting and other work for the community will be arranged at that time.

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Officers Still Badly Needed For Service In Army

Chance For Commission As Junior Officer Available To Qualified Veterans

Despite recent statements from the Department of the Army to the effect that it is close to its manpower ceiling of 667,000 for next July, a critical need still exists for junior leadership in the army, stated Captain Charles E. Weddle, commanding officer of the New Castle U. S. Army and U. S. Air Force Recruiting Main Station.

The captain stated that under a new plan recently inaugurated by the army, qualified veterans of any of the armed forces, who have completed at least two years of college and who are between the ages of 19 and 32, have an excellent opportunity to receive direct

commissions as second lieutenants in the army reserve with two years of immediate extended active duty.

"This new plan is perhaps the easiest method ever provided by the army for qualified young men to obtain a commission," Captain Weddle continued. "We know that there are a great many men with excellent potentialities for leadership who were not officers during the recent war. Here is a means for them to become officers immediately, with all the satisfaction that comes from responsibility and guidance of men."

Successful applicants are given 12 weeks training in a branch service school to prepare them for their duties as an officer.

This program is a part of the army's present drive to increase its officer personnel by 30,000 between now and June 1949. Young men who are desirous of obtaining further information on this program are urged to visit the U. S. Army and U. S. Air Force Recruit-

ing Main Station, Room 400 Frew building or the Recruiting Station, Room 202 Post Office building, New Castle, Pa.

Gaston Post To Have Social Eve

Perry S. Gaston Post No. 343, American Legion, will have open house this evening with a social evening being planned, Commander Merle H. Hildebrand announced today.

There will be a program of entertainment and lunch will be served at the close of the evening. This meeting is open to all veterans.

It has been estimated that less than 20 per cent of American Negroes are of pure African descent.

Evelyn Hartstein Declared Legally Dead By Court

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 25—(INS)—Relatives of Evelyn Hartstein were entitled today to claim the estate of \$83,000 which she inherited from her mother and father.

In Allegheny county orphans'

court Monday, Judge Thomas Trimble declared Miss Hartstein "legally dead" and ruled that her survivors are entitled to claim her estate because the seven-year legal waiting period had passed.

The 34-year-old woman fled from Pittsburgh while her lover stood trial for the murder of her parents about eight years ago.

Ms. Florence Gluck, a half-sister, of Miami Beach is eligible to claim a \$50,000 insurance policy. The remaining \$33,000 will be shar-

ed by Mrs. Gluck and a half-brother, Leonard Hartstein of Pittsburgh.

MADISON MONOPOLY
WASHINGTON, D. C.—(INS)—

More than half of the American states have cities or towns named Madison. There are 27 of them, including two in Alabama, located in different counties. Adams is next, with 26 states, according to the Railway Express Agency.



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**May Not Have Funds
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Hoyland Declares**

Finance Director Uncertain
Whether Project Can Be
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Although he voted for the request for bids for a re-zoning survey here, Finance Director Albert Hoyland stated in council Monday he doubted the wisdom of asking for a survey now when he isn't sure the city will have funds to pay for it. The Zoning board, GNCA and Realty board favor a survey.

The recommendation from the GNCA said the zoning law should be overhauled. The Zoning board also favors re-zoning and the local Realty board claims the present zoning law is antiquated.

Director James Gibson asked Solicitor Robert White if it is necessary to advertise for bids for a survey.

Mr. White said he isn't satisfied with the offer of a firm already received and suggested bids be asked.

Finance Director Albert Hoyland said he is not sure the city will have sufficient finances to pay for the survey this year.

He said that the last quarter of the earned income tax would not arrive until 1950. He said that he doesn't know now if the city will have sufficient money to pay all its debts this year, and further, said he does not believe it advisable to have a survey until he is sure money is available.

Mr. Gibson pointed out that it would require only 30 days to get a price on the survey and said \$10,000 was appropriated for the movement.

"My personal feeling is we can't do it. I do not believe we will have the money. If later in the year we have the money then we can proceed," Mr. Hoyland stated.

Gibson put his motion to ask for bids and it was passed, Hoyland voting "yes."

**Western Senators
Ask Half Million
For Feed For Stock**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—(INS)—Western range states senators on Monday asked Congress for a half million dollars to supply feed to millions of heads of livestock threatened with starvation in the snowbound western areas.

Several senators sponsored a bill to authorize the Bureau of Land Management or any other government agency to do whatever possible to help get feed to isolated sheep and cattle herds in the snow-blanketed region.

Their measure would authorize appropriation of a total of \$500,000 with which to reimburse agencies which spend their funds in the emergency work.

In the House, Rep. Granger (D) Utah, introduced a bill to provide Federal aid for the western cattle states which have been struck by blizzards.

Granger's bill would provide whatever relief is necessary to aid in feeding cattle and sheep on the western ranges and to enable ranchers to save their stock.

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Crawford said he stepped from the caboose and plunged into the darkness as the freight train crossed a bridge near Monongahela, Pa., Saturday night. He claimed the lights of a "booster" engine, behind him, blinded him.

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CHURCH NOTES

The Women's Missionary society will meet in the church basement on Wednesday. A tureen dinner will be served. A business and devotional meeting will be conducted by the leader, Florence Crawford.

Youth for Christ will meet in the auditorium Saturday evening at 7:45. All are welcome.

LEESBURG NOTES

Russell Wimer, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wimer, was a patient in the Mercer hospital for several days with pneumonia.

The F. H. C. class will hold a class party in the church basement this evening. Lunch will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hayne and

daughter were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Butler at Mercer.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Murray of Rocky Grove and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Craft of Grove City spent a day with Mrs. Blanche Hedglin.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tharpe spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Tharpe at New Castle.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crawford, Mrs. Florence Crawford, Mrs. Blanche Hedglin and Mrs. Anna Kelly spent a day at New Castle shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Dennis of Ellwood City were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Rice. Mrs. Rice, who has been ill, is able to be up and around at her home.

Betty Rice of New Castle spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Sara Rice.



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Much Free Care Given At New Castle Hospital During Past 12 Months

New Castle hospital gave a total of more than \$57,000 worth of free care in 1948, figures released today reveal.

Financial aid from county funds, the Red Cross, Kiwanis club and other contributors amounted to \$26,620, leaving more than \$30,000 in costs to be absorbed by the hospital.

The overall figure for charity work covers a total of 5,613 free patient days, as well as the loss sustained from patients able to pay only a part of their bills.

The county reimburses New Castle hospital at the rate of \$5 per day for charity patients. But the average cost per patient day to the hospital is more than \$10, records of operating costs show.

Receive Some Care

Charity patients receive exactly the same care as other ward patients, hospital officials pointed out. They are not segregated and not even the nurses know which patients are receiving free care.

"We are glad with the help of our friends, to be able to render this service to those in need," said Sister Mary John, hospital superintendent, "but the steadily rising costs of hospital operation are seriously taxing our ability to absorb the financial loss each year."

The annual statistics showed that while the average length of stay for all patients at New Castle hospital was eight days, the average for charity patients was 19 days. Health experts explain that this is because needy persons usually do not seek medical care regularly and often wait too long to seek hospital care. Consequently, treatment and recovery take longer.

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Neshannock Twp. Auxiliary Meets

Reports Are Made At Meeting And
Social Time Is Enjoyed
Monday Night

Neshannock Township volunteer firemen's auxiliary held their regular meeting in the fire station Monday evening, with Mrs. Riley Bolland presiding.

Reports were heard from the retiring committee chairman and the auditor's report was given by Mrs. Harry Gere. Mrs. Bolland then installed the following officers for the coming year: President, Mrs. Everett Cannon; vice president, Mrs. William Fox; secretary, Mrs. James Messner; treasurer, Mrs. Sam Mooney; auditors, Mrs. Riley Bolland and Mrs. Steve McBride. The new president, Mrs. Cannon, then appointed the committees for this year and the meeting was adjourned.

During the social period that followed, prizes were awarded for bridge and 500 to the following ladies: Mrs. Henry West, Mrs. William Knight, Mrs. Ed Miller, Mrs. Sam Mooney and Mrs. James Messner.

The ladies then gathered at tables, decorated in pink and yellow with snapdragons as centerpieces and Mrs. Francis Criswell presented Mrs. Bolland with a lovely gift in behalf of the auxiliary in appreciation of the work done by her the past year.

Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Everett Cannon, Mrs. Russell Miliken, Mrs. Riley Bolland, Mrs. Abe Klingensmith and Mrs. Edward Koonce.

The next regular meeting will be February 22 at the fire station.

BOY BITTEN BY DOG

Gary Shay, aged eight years, of R. D. 8, was treated at the Jameson hospital Monday afternoon at 5:45 o'clock for a laceration above the right knee, received when he was bitten by a dog while on his way home from school.

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East-Europe Economic Bloc Is Organized

Soviet Russia And Five Satellite Nations Announce Formation Of New Bloc

MOSCOW, Jan. 25.—(INS)—Soviet Russia and her five satellites replied to the Marshall plan Tuesday by organizing a tight East Europe economic bloc.

A Moscow announcement said that the Soviet-led states have formed a "council for mutual economic assistance," because the U. S., Britain, and "certain European countries" have boycotted them.

Other states, the announcement said, are free to join the council, provided that they subscribe to the principles of the six charter members.

The announcement said that the six eastern nations have refused to bow to the "dictates" of the Marshall plan.

Nations Included

The council was formed at a meeting of representatives of Bulgaria, Hungary, Poland, Romania, Czechoslovakia and Russia in Moscow. The official statement said that it was found that cooperation of the East-European states with Russia has already speeded up the restoration of the national economies.

(Editor's Note: Yugoslavia is conspicuously absent from the new bloc. This obviously is due to the split between Marshal Tito and the cominform. Following this break other eastern bloc countries allowed trade agreements with Yugoslavia to lapse and Tito announced some time ago that he was dealing with the western nations in order to obtain machinery and other supplies needed for his country's development. Under one of Tito's recent agreements with the west, a large shipment of Yugoslav copper has just arrived in New York.)

The statement added that representatives of the six nations will meet periodically in the capitals of each to consult on economic problems. They will exchange experiences, render technical assistance to each other, and arrange for the exchange of raw materials, food, machinery and other items.

All countries participating in the council, it was said, meet on the basis of complete equality.

Miss Arabella Euwer Dies In Youngstown

Word has been received that Miss Arabella Euwer, aged 75, of 326 Alameda avenue, Youngstown, O., died of coronary thrombosis at 9:45 Monday morning at North Side hospital, Youngstown.

She was born in New Castle, the daughter of Walter and Emma Courtney Euwer, and is survived by a sister, Mrs. Charles Paterson, of South Euclid, O. She was a member of First Presbyterian church.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1:30 Wednesday afternoon at the Shriver-Allison north-side funeral home, with Dr. Howard Calvert of First Presbyterian church, officiating. Interment will be at Belmont Park cemetery, Youngstown.

Plan Funeral For Wampum Veteran

AMBRIDGE, Jan. 25.—Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday afternoon for the late Frank Denison, 27, of R. D. 2, Wampum, who suffered injuries last May at the plant of the American Bridge Company in Beaver Falls. Services will take place from Ambridge.

Denison, an inspector at the plant, was hurt when a five ton cylinder rolled off a shop buggy, injuring him. One leg was amputated and later a kidney ailment rehospitalized him, resulting in his death Sunday morning.

He had been residing at the home of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd S. McKee of R. D. 2, Wampum. His wife and parents survive in addition to one brother and two sisters.

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ALL-TOGETHER CLUB PLANNING FOR PARTY

On Monday evening, the All-Together club met in the South Mill street club rooms, and made plans for a Valentine party to be held on Monday, February 14.

In charge will be Mrs. Elizabeth Cubellis and Mrs. Mary Ross.

Cards were featured with prizes going to Mrs. Angelina Lombardo, Mrs. Marietta Ceci, Mrs. Concetta Leonardo, Mrs. Mary DiGennaro and Mrs. Clara Coletta.

Special guests attending were: Mrs. Josephine Fuleno, Mrs. Florence Cubellis and Mrs. Rachel Pasarella.

During the evening, vocal selections were offered by a trio, Mrs. Clotilda Ross, Mrs. Asunta Sabelli and Mrs. Marietta Ceci.

February 7, is the meeting with Mrs. C. Donofrio and Mrs. Marietta Ceci as hostesses.

V.F.W. Auxiliary

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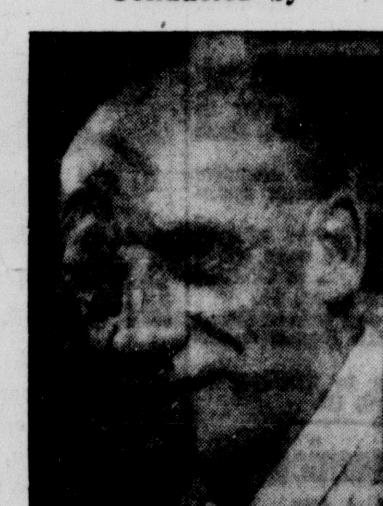


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WPIAL Quintets At Halfway Mark

Four Games Tonight Have Direct Bearing On Title In Class A Race; Homestead Meets Duquesne; New Kensington Plays Butler; Ambridge And Aliquippa Clash; Brentwood Battles Baldwin.

By JOHN GOLIGHTLY
(International News Service Sports Writer)

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 25.—(INS)—A lot of would be contenders may find themselves on the outside looking in after games tonight in four Class A sections of the WPIAL.

Especially the most crucial basketball contest is scheduled for Section VI where the unbeaten Homestead Steelers (4-0) meet the Duquesne "Little Dukes" (4-0). Playing at home gives Homestead probably just enough advantage to conquer Duquesne. But don't bet on it.

The Little Dukes blew a chance for the WPIAL Class AA football title last fall, and they'll try to make up for it by staying in the basketball chase.

New Kensington-Butler

An equally crucial clash takes place at New Kensington in Section I. Here the once-beaten Kensters (4-1) must trip Butler (5-0) if they are to make the February eliminations. With Willie Thrower and company hitting form, the dopes are picking New Kensington.

Brentwood (5-0) and Baldwin (5-0) continue the dog fight motif in a Section IV game at Baldwin. Although rated fairly even, the sentiment favors Brentwood because of its slick passing attack.

Bribery Bill Is Introduced

Legislation Asked To Correct "Fixing" Of Athletics In Pennsylvania

HARRISBURG, Jan. 25.—(INS)—Proposed legislation before the state senate today strikes at bribery in athletic contests.

Sponsored by Sen. M. Harvey Taylor (R) Dauphin, the bill would tilt the present \$1,000 fine to \$3,000 upon conviction of bribing or attempting to bribe any professional or amateur sports participant or anyone with any "remote or possible connection" with any team or individual.

Would Cover All

The Taylor bill, reflecting repeated attempts to limit margins of victory in team scoring, also calls for a similar penalty for anyone attempting to "fix or throw a game or contest".

The 1939 law covering attempted bribery of athletes made no mention of professional basketball or hockey players but was confined to professionals in baseball, football, boxers and wrestlers.

Under the broad definitions of the Taylor bill, every amateur and professional sport would be covered.

NEW WILMINGTON- WAMPUM GAME IS 23 HIGHLIGHT

(Continued from Preceding Page)

and he'll have to be stopped if the home forces are to have any assurance of a win.

Bill Getchy, Johnny Allen and Ed McHavie have taken turns recently in leading the Nahas attack. All are capable of hitting well into the double figures, and if they should get hot on the same evening it would be very tough on any team in the circuit. The Wildcats would certainly like to do that against the Dukes.

Princeton at East Brook completes tonight's card. These two clubs are currently cellar dwellers but season records in Section 23 don't tell very much about how strong these low standing clubs really are. The section is loaded this season with fine talent, and both East Brook and Princeton are capable of knocking off one of the league leaders.

One of the interesting developments of the training camp will be Coach Bill Dickey's requested attempt to make a catcher out of Yogi Berra.

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Three Athletics Sign Contracts

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 25.—(INS)—Three more Philadelphia Athletics players, including first baseman Ferris Fain, hopped on the signed-up bandwagon today, bringing the total signees to 21.

Along with Fain's signed pact received in the A's office were those of J. Nelson Fox, one-time Lancaster infielder, and Jimmy Wilson, of Toledo, making his third try in the majors.

PIRATE ROOKIE HURLERS SIGN

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 25.—(INS)—The signed contracts of two teenaged rookie pitchers were on file at the Pittsburgh Pirates office today. Signed were 18-year-old Fred Uhlman, a southpaw, of Charleroi, Pa., and 19-year-old Fred Strobel, a righthander, from Long Beach, Calif.

SENIOR "Y" LEAGUE

Senior "Y" league scheduled for tonight features the Rebels against the Wings at 7, the Chiefs tangling with G. I. Shine at 8 and the Sharoocks challenging the Civics at 9.

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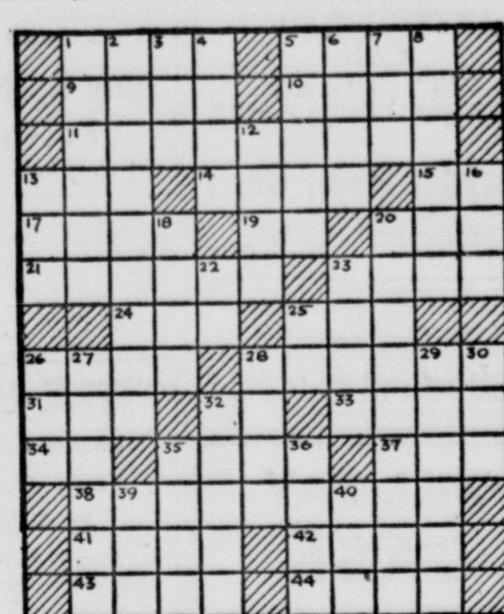
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WKST—1250; KDKA—1030; WCAE—1250; WJAS—1320

KDKA

6:30—Sportsmen's Club
6:45—Three Star Extra
7:00—Supper Club
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It's Your Business
Roy Scott, News
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WJAS

Dinner Music
Lowell Thomas
Beulah
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Club 15
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10:00—Story of Phyllis Wheatley

WKST

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5:15—Superman
5:30—Capt. Midnight
5:45—Town Mix
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6:05—Sports Resume
6:20—We Congratulate
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7:15—Newspaper
7:30—New Comment
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8:45—Bingo
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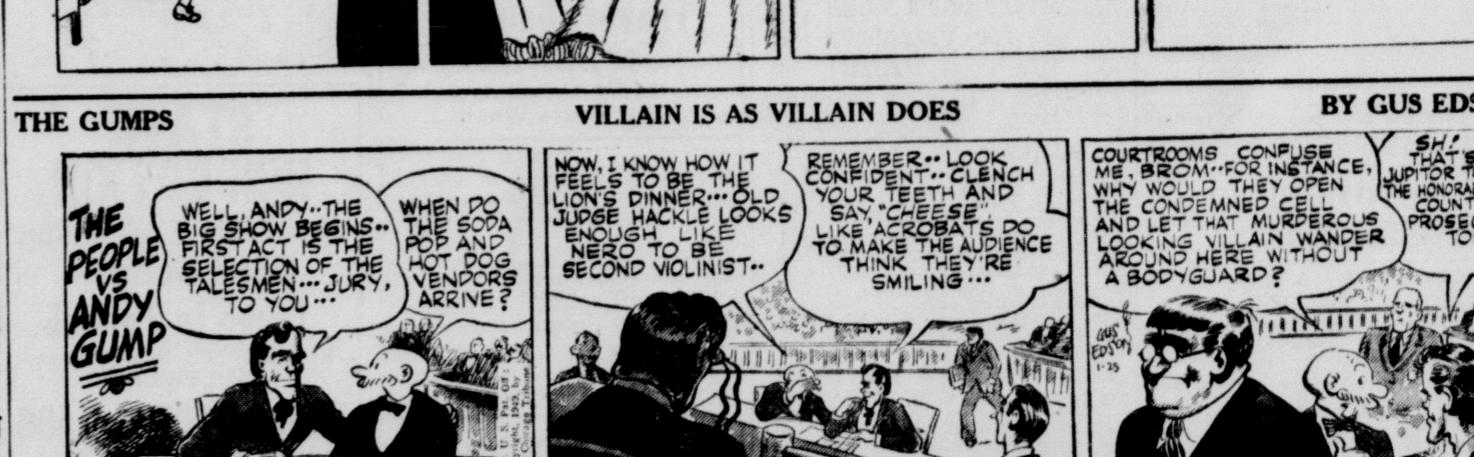
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New Castle High Playing Section Three Game At Ellwood Tonight

Ancient Rivals
Awaiting Clash

New Castle Seeks Second
Win, Ellwood It's Third
In Section 3 Com-
petition

Two lower division clubs, with
rivalries as ancient and intense as
any in Section 3, clash tonight on
the hardwood at Ellwood City with
the New Castle Hi cagers in the
role of visitors.

The Blue and White Wolverines
complete the first half of league
play with the 'Canes after having
lost to the Ambridge and Sharon
and taking loops wins from
Beaver Falls and Farrell. Coach
Gig Thomas' crew lost four straight
loop-tussles before overpowering
Farrell Friday night.

Ellwood defeated the Beaver
Falls quintet at home 38 to 35.
New Castle lost to the same crew
Beaver Falls 47 to 33. However, the
local hoopsters knocked off Farrell
43 to 37 here and the Wolverines
came from far behind to take a
two-point overtime win from the
Steelers.

Ellwood Confident

It is significant that Ellwood's
two league wins have come on
their home floor and the Wallaces
men are confident of adding num-
ber 3 tonight. Tony Stramella,
George Soos, Bill Patterson and
Carl Mantz have all shown real
ability to run a high individual
point total in an evening which is
another advantage for the Wolver-
ines. The New Castle attack to
date has been centered mostly
around the brilliant shooting of
Don Reed. The good looking East
Sider is currently leading all of
Section 3 scorers by a large margin
but no other New Castle player is
even in sight on the point-making
list.

Neither New Castle or Ellwood
now appears as a contender for the
loop title because of the strength
of Sharon and undefeated Aliquippa,
however, the traditional rivalry
and the prospect of an extremely
close game is guaranteed enough for
a capacity crowd at Lincoln Hi gym
this evening.

The reserves of the two schools
meet in the seven o'clock prelum.

An added attraction for tonight's
feature will be a benefit tumbling
act staged by Coach J. D. Ansell's
students of Ellwood junior and
senior high. Cartwheels, flips,
handsprings and many other tricks
are to be performed for the benefit
of the polio fund raising cam-
paign which is now in progress.

In addition some of Ellwood's
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be served was never more vividly
demonstrated than last night when
Chuck Higgins, 155½, Campbell
outpointed the globe-trotting veter-
an, Jack Biddle, 162, New Castle,
in eight rounds in The Arena.
Twelve hundred and eighty-one
paid approximately \$2,200 to wit-
ness the glove duels, of which
there were five.

The first round of the Biddle-
Higgins joust was filled with
clinches, both boxers being de-
cidedly cautious. Biddle's stance
apparently puzzled the Ohioan in
the second which was also slow,
but action began in the third. Bid-
dle missed several attempts to land
his vaunted left hook to the head,
while Higgins succeeded and took
the round.

In the fourth, Higgins began to
soil Biddle's style and although
Jack blocked well, Higgins captured
the round. Biddle landed a left
hook to the head in the fifth
but it failed to jar Higgins. Higgins
did most of the leading, but like Biddle,
did considerable missing. However, in the sixth Biddle
came through and took the round
by a big margin.

In this chapter, he forced Higgins
to miss, drove Chuck to the
ropes with a right to the head,
then repeated the blow. The
punches didn't do Higgins any partic-
ular good. As Higgins waltzed
out of danger he fired jabs at the
veteran. Chuck landed a right
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Princeton At East Brook**

One and maybe two of the cur-
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Section 23 pennant chase will be
eliminated from the top rung slot
before the smoke of battle has
cleared from the four contests
scheduled in the county loop this
evening.

Top-billing goes to the Wampum-
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The Mounties have a yen to defeat
Bessemer that is stronger than
Lil' Abner's desire for poker chips
and their scoring stars of Bill
Emery, Pat Kerr and Ed Brandt
will be out to do some real gun-
ning tonight.

Shenango vs Union

Two old rivals clash at Shenango
where the Union Hi Scotties are
visiting this evening. Shenango
has a 2 and 4 record while Coach
Charlie James' cagers have won
three and dropped the same number.

A Wildcat win would tie these
two clubs up and not too far
from the top spot. Ed Novotny
has played several brilliant ball
games for the Scotties as of late.

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the "Laugh Hit of the Nation"—
the Donkey Olympics. The starting
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Chairman Councilman Richard I.
Davis is confident the show will
"go over".

Trying to build up their blind
work activity fund the Lions Club
is making an all-out effort to pack
the spacious Arena floor, for this
gigantic laugh-provoking two-hour
show.

Laugh-A-Minute

Members of the Lions Club of
New Castle and Little Beaver Lions
will ride the donkeys and participate
in the various events such as basket-
ball, polo, boxing, archery, tug-of-war,
Gypsy Rose Lee "strip" and other events.

It's a laugh-a-minute show to watch
these business and professional
men ride these donkeys bareback.
Sheriff Frank Coen has consented
to act as referee of all contests,
thus seeing that right is right and
there is no cheating.

Prominent men in town will act
as judges of the various contests.
Prizes will be awarded the winning
contests. (Linen bottle awards
furnished free).

Band—Cheerleaders

The fine New Castle High band
and the lovely group of young
cheerleaders have been secured to
to the setting of the grand march
and other events. The band will
give out with snappy circus tunes.
The girls will lead cheers for the
various events.

Miss Minnie B. Riley, the show
director, has worked untiringly to
have everything in readiness. There
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Tickets are selling for \$1.00 for
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over their closest rival, Croton.
Ray Jackson and Ed McMillin gun-
ned 17 and 15 points respectively
for the winners. Jim Snow and
brother Dick combined to score 27
markers for the losers.

Wesley surprised First M. E.
34 to 29. Jack Markey got 18 markers
to sparkplug the minor up for Wesley
and Jay Thompson again led the Methodist scorer with 11.

Second U. P. Win

In an exhibition tilt, Second
U. P. defeated First Presbyterian
34 to 30. Bob Pitzer had 20 and
brother Fran 14 for the winners.
Andy Johnson got 14 for the Pres-
by five and Bob Reiber chipped in 10.

The league standings at the end
of the first half:

	W.	L.	Pct.
Wampum	10	0	1.000
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